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INTERIM REPORT ON CURRENCY.

TIME INOPPORTUNE FOR STABILISATION.

SUGGESTED EXPERT SCHEME SO COLONY MAY BE READY.

CONTROL OF NOTE ISSUE.

The main recommendations of the Currency Committee are contained in an interim report which has been presented to the Hongkong Government, a copy of which has been courteously supplied us by the Colonial Secretary.

Although finding that the present currency suffers from blemishes, the Committee agrees that it is the most advantageous for the purposes of the trade of the Colony. A more extended use of silver bullion is urged, but a Government note issue is not favoured.

Stabilisation is not favoured, as it would divorce the Colony's currency from that of China, but in case China should at some time suddenly adopt a gold basis, all available data should be placed before expert opinion so that a feasible scheme may be worked out whereby the transfer of the Colony's currency from a silver to a gold basis may be effected as smoothly and with as little trouble and expense as possible.

MORE EXTENDED USE OF BULLION.

The text of the interim report is as follows:

It is now possible to give some very brief indication of the nature of the replies which the Currency Committee intends to give to its terms of reference.

The Committee agrees that the present currency is the most advantageous for the purpose of the trade of the colony so long as China uses a currency based on silver. The Committee remarks that the scope of its enquiry in this respect was confined by the terms of reference to trade.

Bank Note Premium.

The Committee finds that the present currency system suffers from blemishes because of the facts that a premium exists on the bank note over the silver dollar in exchange and that the silver dollar is a most inconvenient medium, being difficult to carry, handle and store, which disadvantages tend to put it at a discount.

Some dissatisfaction was also expressed to the Committee regarding the methods of note issue prevalent in the present system.

Suggested Remedies.

The Committee is disposed to advise remedies by a more extended use of silver bullion and also by discouraging the deposit of dead weight currency in the Colony through adjustment of the rate of interest to suit the needs of the moment.

Some suggestions may also be made for more control of note issue.

A Government note issue is not, however, favoured. Various minor remedies will be mentioned.

HUNGARY'S PREMIER IN LONDON.

GUEST OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

London, June 16.
Count Bethlen, Hungarian Premier, who, with Countess Bethlen, is visiting London as the guest of the British Government, called upon Mr. Arthur Henderson, Foreign Secretary, at the Foreign Office this morning. A dinner in honour of Count Bethlen is being given at the Hungarian Legation this evening, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and Mr. Henderson being among the guests.—*British Wireless.*

STOCKS CRASH IN NEW YORK.

WORST DECLINE SINCE LAST YEAR'S PANIC.

New York, June 16.
"Bears" played havoc with the Stock Market to-day when prices crashed spectacularly. Shares totalling over 5,800,000 were dumped on the market.

The belief that the Tariff Bill will be signed had a bad influence. Many banking circles are pessimistic regarding its effects, but others think that the present selling factors include the declines in commodity prices and the approach of the summer season.

At least 200 new low levels were recorded to-day, the crash being the worst since last year's panic.—*Reuter's American Service.*

DIFFICULTIES IN HOTEL CASE.

POINTS CLEARED UP BY JUDGE.

MORE TECHNICAL DETAILS IN EVIDENCE.

THE PLANT'S YIELD.

Two or three "elementary difficulties," as they were described by the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp), in this morning's continuance of the refrigerating plant case between Messrs. Anderson, Meyer and Co. Ltd., and the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd., were cleared up by Mr. Hacker, expert witness for the plaintiffs, when he explained what was meant by making a ton of refrigeration, in what senses the term "40-ton load" was used and his explanation of the differences of the water used for the plant between that of 1928 and 1929.

In his re-examination by Mr. H. G. Sheldon, Mr. Hacker said that a temperature of 77 degrees would be required for the ordinary average efficient working of the plant. He denied that Mr. Brearley had given him an envelope containing the analysis of the water, and that Mr. Brearley signed the chit book afterwards. He had given his coefficient on the low density of cork, namely 6.7, because it was both cheaper and more effective than the high density, the coefficient of which was 7.4.

Judge's Difficulties.

His Lordship addressed Mr. Potter this morning and said: As you have been dealing with the technical side, perhaps it would be better if I put one or two difficulties now before me, and try to clear them up straight away. They seem to be elementary, but they are difficulties which are on my mind.

One difficulty I have is purely technical. In part of Mr. Hacker's evidence he gave some elementary information in reply to a question that one B.T.U. was required to raise one pound, one degree Fahrenheit, and that one ton of refrigeration was required to melt one ton of ice in 24 hours. I can't understand the relation between these two statements.

Mr. Potter said that His Lordship would appreciate that that was the basis or the unit for commercial refrigeration on which they had to work.

Question of Loads.

Mr. Hacker pointed out that 288,000 B.T.U.'s were required to melt one ton of ice in 24 hours, therefore 12,000 would be required for the same purpose in one hour and 200 per minute.

His Lordship said if it was not necessary to tolerate the two statements he would leave it.

Mr. Potter said that the simplest way to put it was that one ton of refrigeration extracted 288,000 B.T.U.'s in 24 hours. If there was a 40-ton plant as in this case, then the number of B.T.U.'s extracted per day would be 11,520,000.

His Lordship, in referring to the question of a 40-ton load, said that it appeared to him that a load might be used in two senses. It was an ambiguous sense and entailed capacity and demand. Where did that load come from?

Mr. Potter said that Mr. Hacker gave the plant as yielding 40 tons of refrigeration, as per contract, in 24 hours. Based on that estimate they derive in some way or other the tonnage required to do work for each of the rooms, and said that 40 tons was of ample sufficiency to meet the requirements of the Hotel. The main dispute the defence had with them was regarding the weight of the goods which could be put in the rooms.

Temperature Difference.

Referring to the working out of the capacity on the brine circulating system, His Lordship asked if the working out of the ice water plant and ice making plant was for capacity or demand.

Mr. Hacker said that would be for demand. They took the load (Continued on Page 12.)

HUGE ENTRY FOR GOLF OPEN.

AMERICAN PROMINENT IN THE QUALIFYING ROUND.

RECORD EQUALLED.

Hoylake, June 16.
Americans were prominent in the first qualifying round of the Open Golf Championship for which there is a record entry of 296. The competitors are divided between the Hoylake and Wallasey courses.

W. Twine of Bromley heads the list with a score of 68 on the Wallasey course, but Diegel and Compton each went round the more difficult Hoylake course in 70.

These were both better performances than Twine's. Diegel and Compton equalling the record for the course.

Diegel played brilliantly and went out in 37, coming home in 33. Compton went out in 35 and came back in the same number of strokes, a feature of his play being his enormous driving. The leaders in the qualifying rounds are given below:

Hoylake.	
Diegel	70
Compton	70
H. Cotton (Perryall)	73
J. J. Taylor	73
Bobby Jones	73

LYDD GEORGE'S OFFER TO GOVERNMENT.

Suggests National Treatment of Unemployment.

GUARANTEES MAJORITY.

London, June 17.
An offer of a guaranteed majority to the Government if they will convene a special emergency of Parliament to deal with a great unemployment measure has been made by Mr. Lloyd George, the leader of the Liberal Party.

In an interview with the *Daily Herald*, Mr. Lloyd George proposes that the question of unemployment should be treated as a national emergency and that the whole resources of the State should be mobilised to deal with the problem, the same as in war-time.—*Reuter.*

D. Sculby (Fort William)	73
Jolly	74
D. McCulloch (Troon)	74
H. Riebra (Sheringham)	74
E. Whitcombe	74

Wallasey.

Twine	68
J. Bradner (Porter Park)	70
Mark Seymour (St. Leonards)	71
G. Von Elm	71
W. Davies (Wallasey)	71
Tolley	72

Other scores were:—Moe and Horton Smith 75, MacDonald Smith 77 and Duncan 74. Notable scratchings were Sarazen, Harrison Johnston, Voight, Aubrey Bommer and Mark Seymour, who withdrew owing to the death of his father.—*Reuter.*

TOURIST TROPHY RACE.

RUDGE MACHINES CAPTURE ALL THE PLACES.

London, June 16.
In the Junior Tourist Motor Cycle Trophy Race in the Isle of Man to-day, which was won by Tyrrell Smith on a Rudge machine, Nott and Walker, both on Rudge machines, were second and third.

The race was over a distance of 264 miles and British supremacy was challenged by foreign riders from many countries.—*British Wireless.*

BOMBING PLANES.

BIG CONTRACT PLACED BY AMERICAN NAVY.

Washington, June 16.
The Navy Department has contracted for 322 torpedo bombing planes at a cost of \$3,827,000.—*Reuter's American Service.*

THE MURDER OF GEN. LUI.

KEEN SEARCH FOR ACCOMPLICE.

ASSASSIN QUESTIONED BY GEN. CHAN MING-SHU.

DEATH THREAT STORY.

Canton, June 16.
The assassination of General Lui Woon-yim, Governor of Kwangsi, is still the topic of conversation in political circles here. A keen search is at present being carried out for a man who is said to have been an accomplice of the murderer, the latter saying he was threatened with death if he did not kill General Lui.

After the assassination, General Chan Ming-shu, Civil Governor of Kwangtung, was sent for and he himself put the self-confessed murderer through a long and searching examination.

Why Deed Was Committed.

The man stated that his name was Fung Shing; that he was himself a Kwangsi man, unmarried and 20 years of age. His mother and father were both living still in Kwangsi.

Asked by General Chan Ming-shu why he shot General Lui Woon-yim, he stated that he had been asked to do so by a Kwangsi man, who is in the service of General Pei Chung-hsi, the noted Kwangsi leader. He stated that this man had promised him \$10,000 to do the job and had also threatened him with death if he did not do it.

Final Instructions.

He stated that they had been discussing the matter since April and that it was on that day that this man, in the Toi On Shan hotel on the Bund in Canton, had given him his final instructions that General Lui Woon-yim must be killed at once.

After shooting the General he was to meet this man on the Shakes Maloo near the French Bridge and a boat would be waiting there for them to escape.

Asked where it would be possible to find the man, Fung Shing suggested that he might be found at the Kin Ling restaurant, but on the place being thoroughly searched, he could not be found.

Staff Questioned.

After examining the prisoner, General Chan Ming-shu and his staff proceeded to the New Asia Hotel, where all the guests and staff were put through many questions to try to get some evidence as to the whereabouts of the man, who was known to be in Canton on the day of the murder.

General Chan Ming-shu is himself conducting the enquiry and it is hoped to arrest the alleged accomplice in the near future. Meanwhile the murderer remains in custody awaiting his trial.

General Lui's Career.

The late General Lui Woon-yim had been in considerable prominence in South China politics during the past year. During 1929, in the course of the two Kwangsi attacks on Canton in May and December, General Lui changed his allegiance from the Kwangsi rebels to the Cantonese Nationalists and back again no fewer than four times.

In December, he changed back to the Nationalist cause when the Cantonese armies entered Wuchow and the Kwangsi rebels were in full retreat. At that time, the Cantonese gave General Lui the command of the Wuchow garrison for his services, and since then he has been co-operating with General Chan Chai-tong, Commander-in-Chief of the 8th Route Army, in the work of exterminating his former Kwangsi friends and their Ironside allies under General Chang Fat-kwei.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

DAVIS CUP.

AUSTRALIA ELIMINATED BY ITALY.

Milan, June 16.
Italy eliminated Australia from the Davis Cup Competition, by three matches to two.—*Reuter.*

ENGLAND ALL OUT IN TEST.

SCORE 302 IN SECOND INNINGS.

AUSTRALIA 60 FOR 1: REQUIRE 369 MORE TO WIN.

FOURTH WICKET STAND.

England is in a comparatively strong position in the Test Match, the Australians at the moment being faced with the task of getting 369 runs with their remaining nine wickets. The position of the game is

England.—First Innings	270
England.—Second Innings	302
Total	572

Australia.—First Innings

Australia.—Second Innings

Hobbs, Sutcliffe and Hendren added 204 to England's second innings total of 302. Sutcliffe retired injured, and Hammond and Woolley were dismissed for four and five respectively. A timely stand by Hendren and Chapman produced valuable runs, Hendren making 72 in a bright two-hour stay at the wicket. Grimmett took half England's wickets, his victims being Hobbs, Hammond, Tate, Larwood and Tlydesley. Woodfull is out for Australia, but Ponsford and Bradman are still in, giving signs of a good stand during the latter part of yesterday's play.

SUTCLIFFE FORCED TO RETIRE.

London, June 16.
England's second innings in the Test Match produced 302 runs, the detailed scores being as follows:

ENGLAND.—2ND INNINGS.

J. B. Hobbs, st Oldfield, b Grimmett	74
H. Sutcliffe, retired hurt	58
W. R. Hammond, lb.w., b Grimmett	4
F. E. Woolley, b Wall	5
E. Hendren, c Richardson, b Wall	72
A. P. F. Chapman, b Wall	29
M. W. Tate, c Kippax, b Grimmett	21
R. W. V. Robins, b McCabe	4
H. Larwood, b Grimmett	7
R. Tlydesley, b Grimmett	5
G. Duckworth, not out	14
Extras	6
Total	302

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
T. Wall	26	4	67	3
A. Fairfax	15	4	58	0
C. V. Grimmett	30	4	94	5
P. M. Hornbrook	11	4	35	0
S. McCabe	14	3	42	1

AUSTRALIA.—2ND INNINGS.

W. M. Woodfull, c Chapman, b Larwood	4
W. H. Ponsford, not out	21
D. G. Bradman, not out	31
Extras	4
Total (one wicket)	60

Two Failures.

Hammond was then joined by Woolley, who was the only batsman in the English team to be dismissed for a duck in the first innings. This partnership was quickly broken up, however. Hammond suffered the same fate as he did in the first innings, being given out leg before wicket to the same bowler, Grimmett. Hendren came in to keep Woolley company, but the latter got five runs and then was clean bowled by Wall.

Chapman, the captain, then joined Hendren. They were not deterred by the quick dismissal of Hammond and Woolley, and decided to play the game of getting runs quickly. They succeeded in doing this very convincingly, adding 64 runs in forty minutes for a merry fourth wicket partnership.

Hendren did the greater part of the run getting, but Chapman went out for it at every opportunity and made 29 before he fell a victim to a fast ball from Wall. Hendren was caught by Richardson from Wall's bowling when he was 72. He batted for two hours and hit eight fours. Both Hendren and Hobbs completed their thousand runs this season.

England's Tail.

The stand between Hendren and Chapman came at a most opportune time and when two batsmen of whom much was expected had failed, England's total, despite the fine first wicket stand, would have been none too good if Hendren and Chapman had been sent back quickly as the remaining wickets did not improve the total to any great extent, although Maurice Tate knocked out a useful 24 before he was caught by Kippax.

Robins, who made England's tail wag merrily in the first (Continued on Page 7.)

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Thus Mr. Whyte Smith, at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday afternoon, commented upon the conduct of a British soldier who was convicted of a summons of assaulting a China Motor Bus Company's Inspector on May 30. The defendant Pte. J. McKean, appeared together with Ptes. P. Weir and D. Kirk, all of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

Giving evidence, Police Sergeant Baker intimated that a report was made by a bus driver of an inspector having been assaulted. About half an hour later witness heard police whistles, and on going into Laichikok Road saw a crowd chasing three soldiers whom witness took into custody. The bus inspector, who was also there, appeared to be suffering from exhaustion and had part of his clothing covered with mud.

Kicked off Bus.

The complainant said that about 8.15 p.m. on May 30 he boarded a bus in Nathan Road at Mongkok in the course of his duties. In consequence of a report made by the conductor witness asked four British soldiers who were in the first class to show their tickets. They abused him, and continued to torment two Chinese ladies who were on the bus. Witness was asked by the ladies to stop the soldiers from annoying them.

Addressing the soldiers, witness told them "Don't be rough," and McKean stood up but witness told him to sit down again. McKean then kicked the inspector, as he was standing on the steps of the bus. After he had fallen into the roadway, the soldiers alighted and chased him. Witness mentioned that at that time the bus was travelling very slowly.

The soldiers chased witness, who ran away but was overtaken and struck by one of the men. He fell to the ground unconscious, and on regaining consciousness found himself in the nullah near the Theatre opposite the Ford Motor Company. He intimated that he had apparently been thrown into the nullah by the soldiers.

Defendants Arrested.

After being rescued, he boarded another of the company's buses and was proceeding to the Shamshui Police Station when he saw the four soldiers approaching his bus. Witness together with the driver alighted to catch the men and they ran away. Witness gave chase and blew a police whistle, the men later being arrested by Sergeant Baker of the Police.

The defendants denied the assault, and McKean intimated that they were about to board the second bus on which the inspector was travelling in Laichikok Road but they saw the Company Sergeant Major on board, and not being properly dressed they ran away to escape his notice. They did not run away from the inspector and the bus driver.

Witness, when questioned, admitted that there was a Sergeant Major on the bus.

Corroborative evidence was given by other witnesses, including one of the ladies, who confided slightly with the inspector as to what happened before the complainant was kicked.

The defendants questioned the various witnesses as to the incident in Laichikok Road, but his Worship intimated that he quite

THE LATE MR. K. K. LEE.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT THE FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Mr. K. K. Lee, of the Canton Gazette, who passed away after a short illness at the French Hospital, took place at the Chinese Protestant Cemetery yesterday afternoon. The burial service at the Chinese Protestant Cemetery was performed by the Rev. Mr. Kwan Kan-yew of the Wesleyan Church.

A large number of relatives and friends of the deceased were present, the attendance including Messrs. T. Bolt, Harry Hong Sling, Alfred Lee, Wu Wai-man, Lai Fook-yuan, Dr. Arthur Woo, A. Chan, Fung Yiu-cheung, Dr. C. H. Wan, A. G. Sullad, and many others, the chief mourners being the deceased's father, his two sisters and uncle.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes were those from—Father and Mother, sorrowing wife Dot, sister Irene, sister Mary, loving children Lucille and John, Teachers and pupils of the French Convent School, Colonel Wong Keung, A. Chan, K. C. Lau, Ho Wing, Ho Lu, Staff of the Canton Gazette, Tong Man-kai, Wu Wai-man, Emily Poon, Mrs. and Dr. Coxon To, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hong Sling, J. D. Bush, Leung Shiu-yu, Dr. H. C. Szeto, and several others.

NEW MOTOR VESSEL.

COMPLETED RECENTLY AT KOWLOON DOCK.

Among the vessels which figured in yesterday's Harbour Office Reports was the new motor vessel Lustveco, which has just been completed by the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. for the Larzon Stevedoring Co. Inc. of Manila, P.I.

A single screw motor vessel, the Lustveco was launched sometime ago and had been lying at Kowloon Dock for quite a while before her departure for Manila at noon on Tuesday. She left this port flying the American flag and was under the command of Capt. J. H. Tipp, with a crew of nine.

The Lustveco belongs to Lloyd's All class, having a gross tonnage of 104.40 and a net tonnage of 107.95. She has a length of 95.7 feet, a beam of 24.2 feet and a depth of 9.33 feet.

believed that they had run away from the Sergeant Major and not because they were afraid of the bus officials.

Comments from Bench.

The defendants made no statements nor called any witnesses, and his Worship convicted McKean but acquitted Weir and Kirk. He said that there was a good deal of vagueness about the case. He thought that it had been proved that McKean had kicked the inspector off the bus, but what had happened afterwards was not known. He remarked that it might have been the fourth man who had pushed the complainant into the nullah as well as assaulted him after the soldiers alighted from the bus.

Addressing McKean, his Worship said that he did not seem to have been drunk but he had acted very strangely, and his Worship thought that perhaps he was just a little bit under a delusion, that he perhaps imagined he was entitled to a certain amount of licence—when he went abroad. He (his Worship) did not think that McKean would have behaved like that on a Glasgow tram.

The inspector, continued his Worship, seemed to have been trying to do his duty in remonstrating with the soldiers, and McKean seemed to have dealt out pretty rough treatment. He would not say anything about the fact that he was in uniform and that he should have been more careful how he should have behaved, but that was a matter that his officers would attend to without interference by his Worship, who simply had to fine the defendant

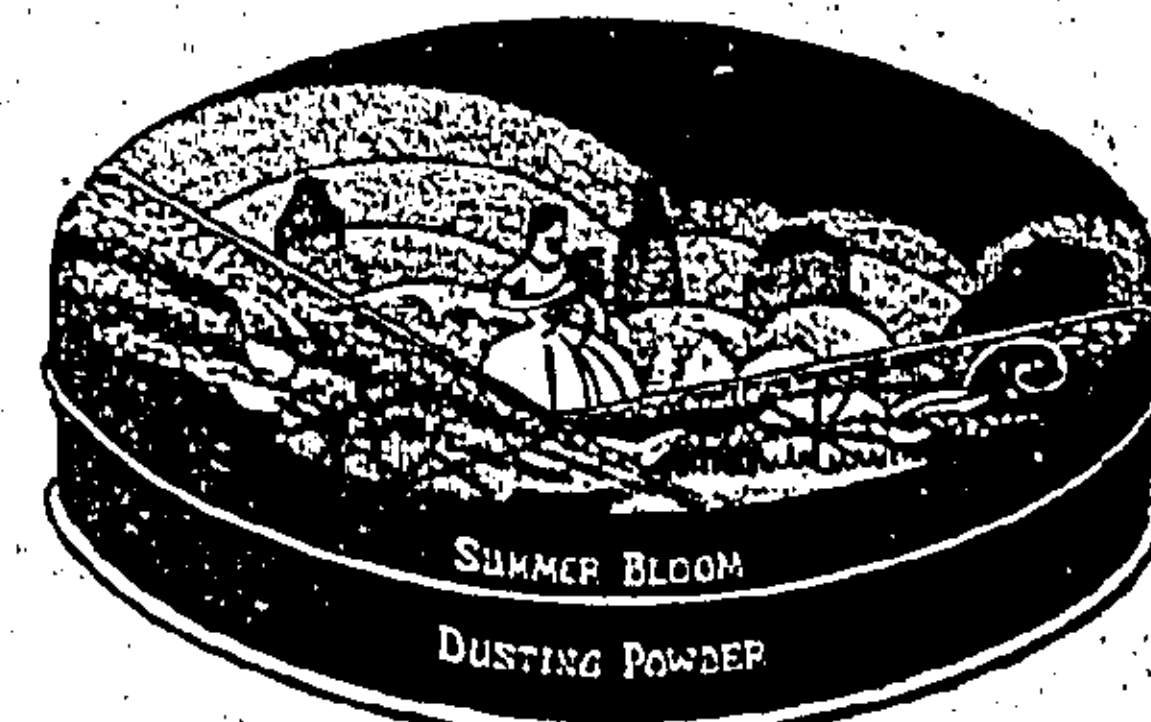
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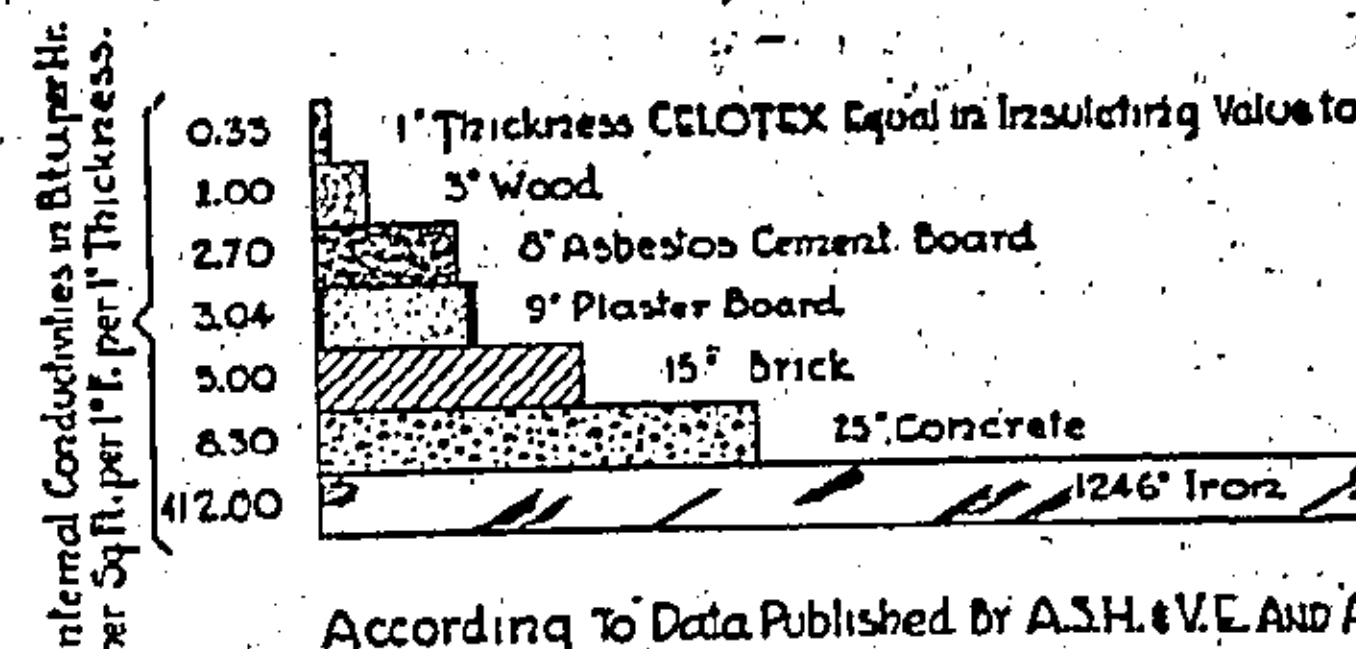
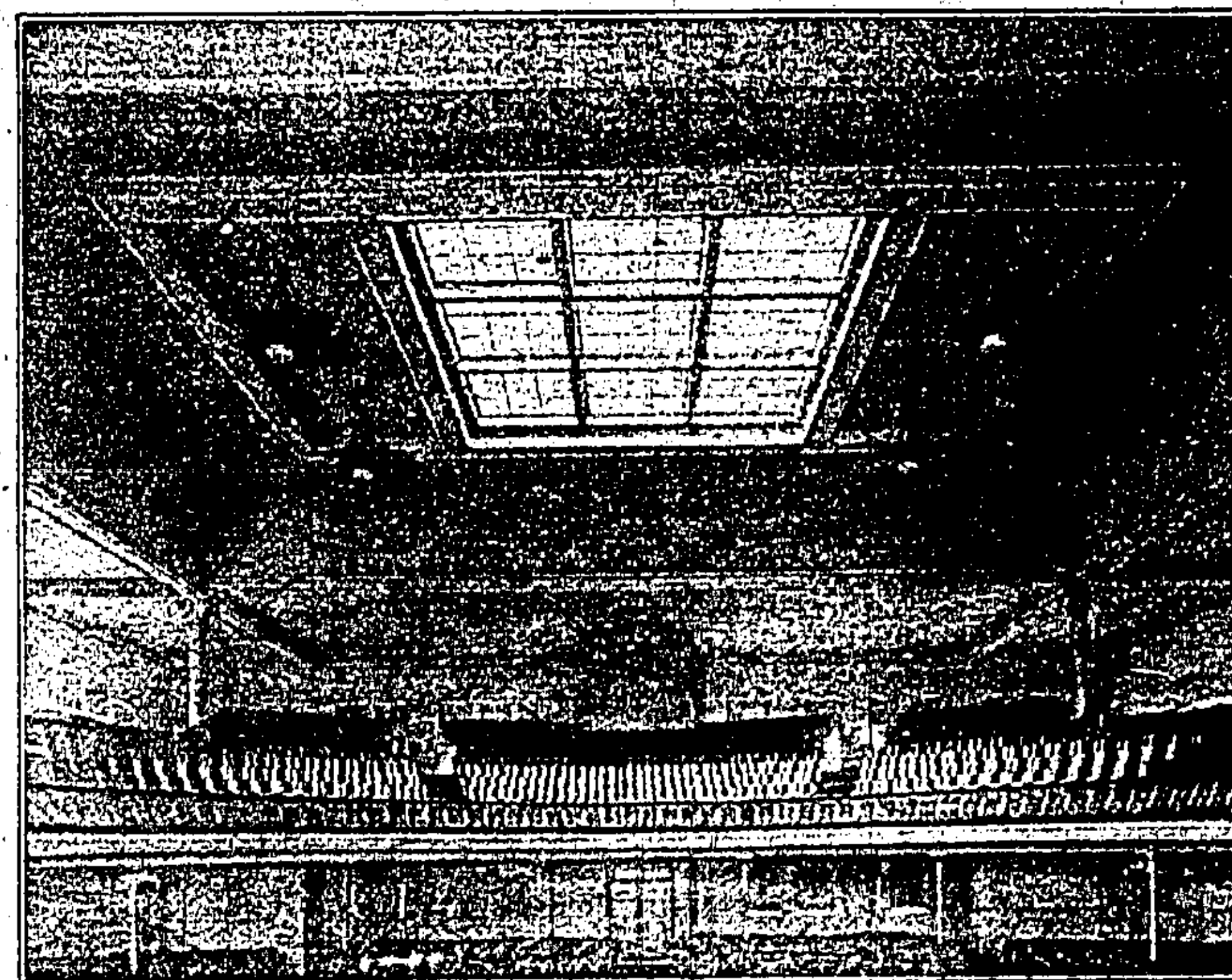
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His Worship added that he had travelled on buses every day, and saw soldiers of the defendant's regiment on board, but he had never seen any bad conduct on

their part. He said that their conduct was not only correct but they were very courteous. He had to regard the present case as an exception.

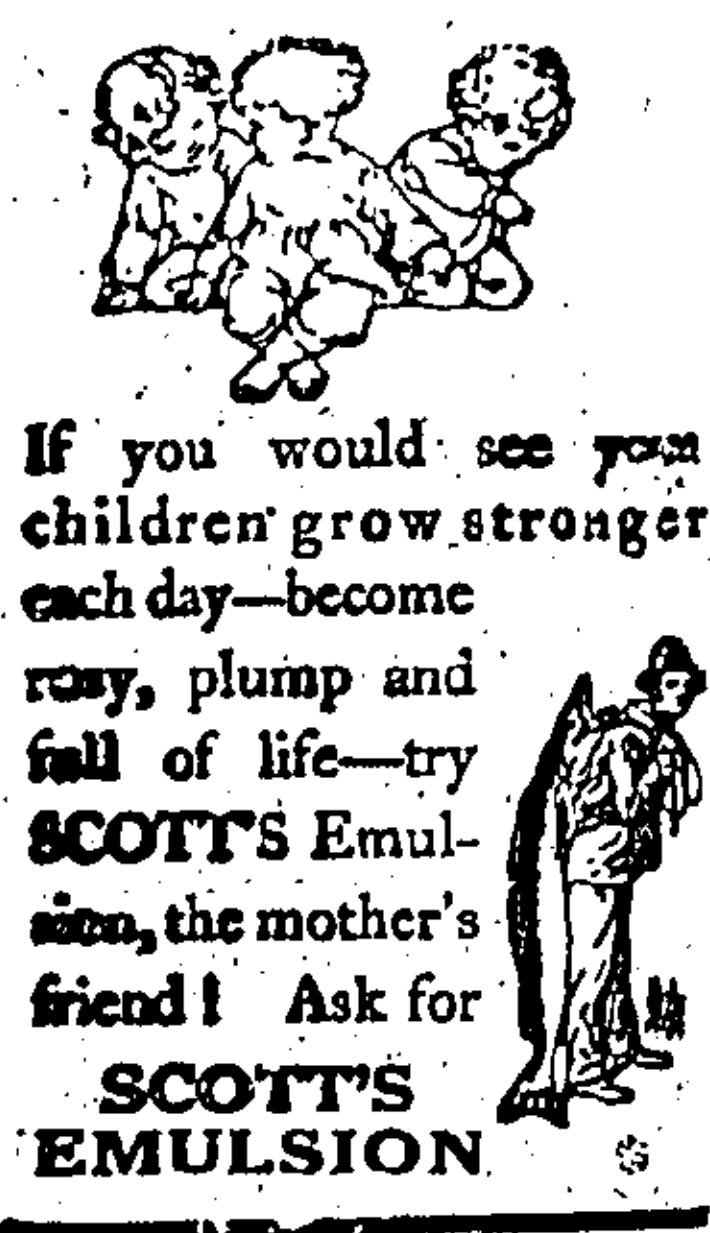
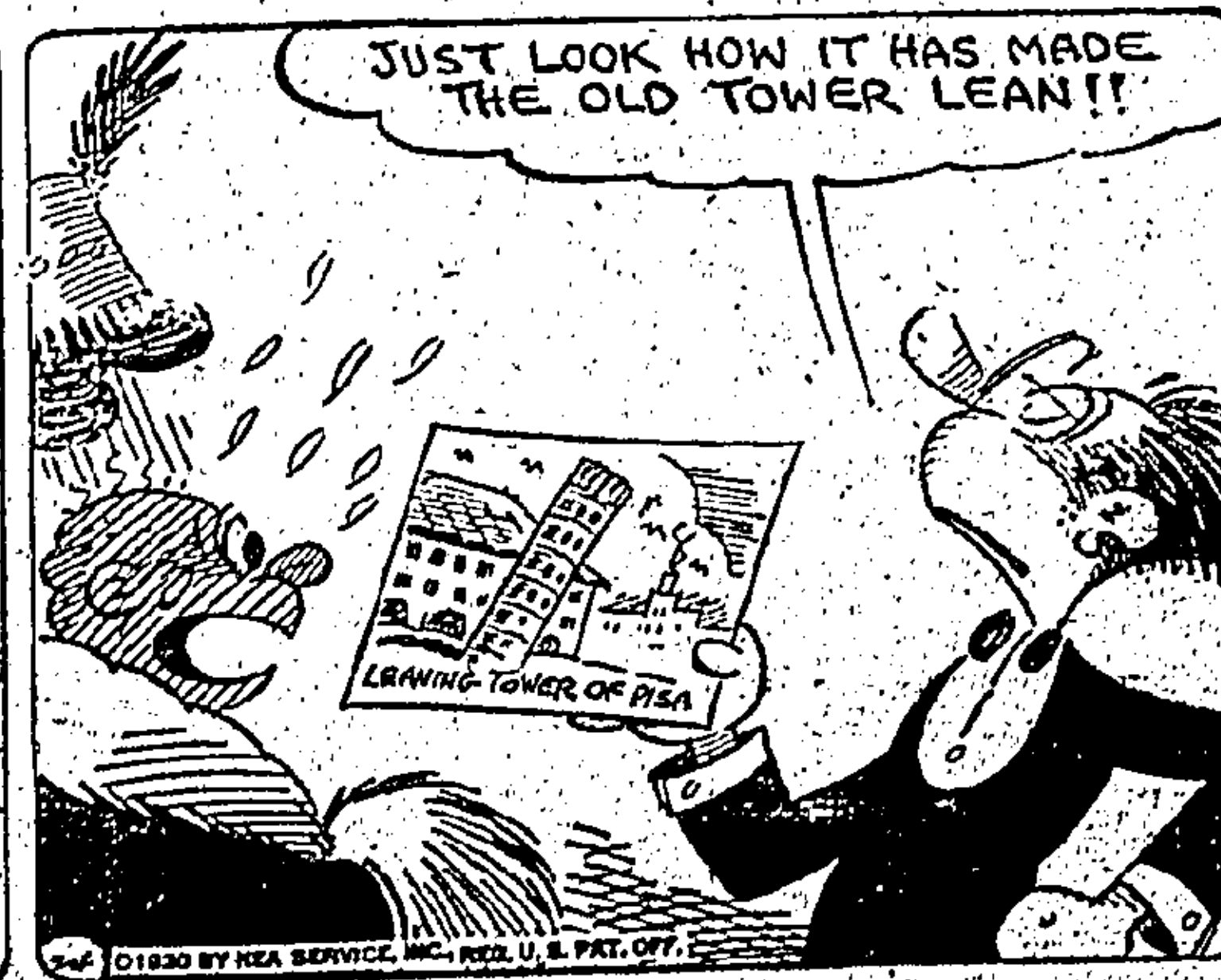
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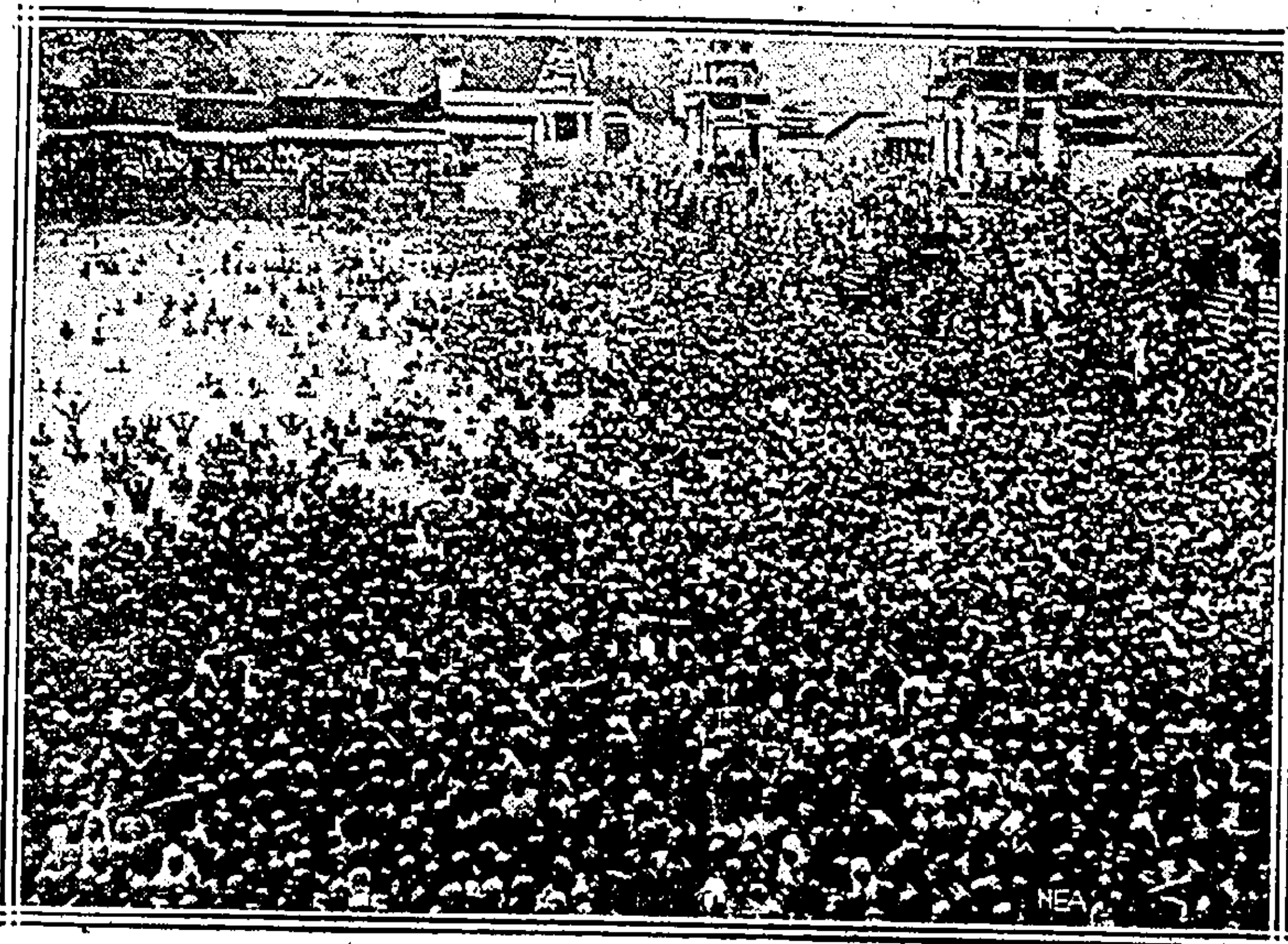
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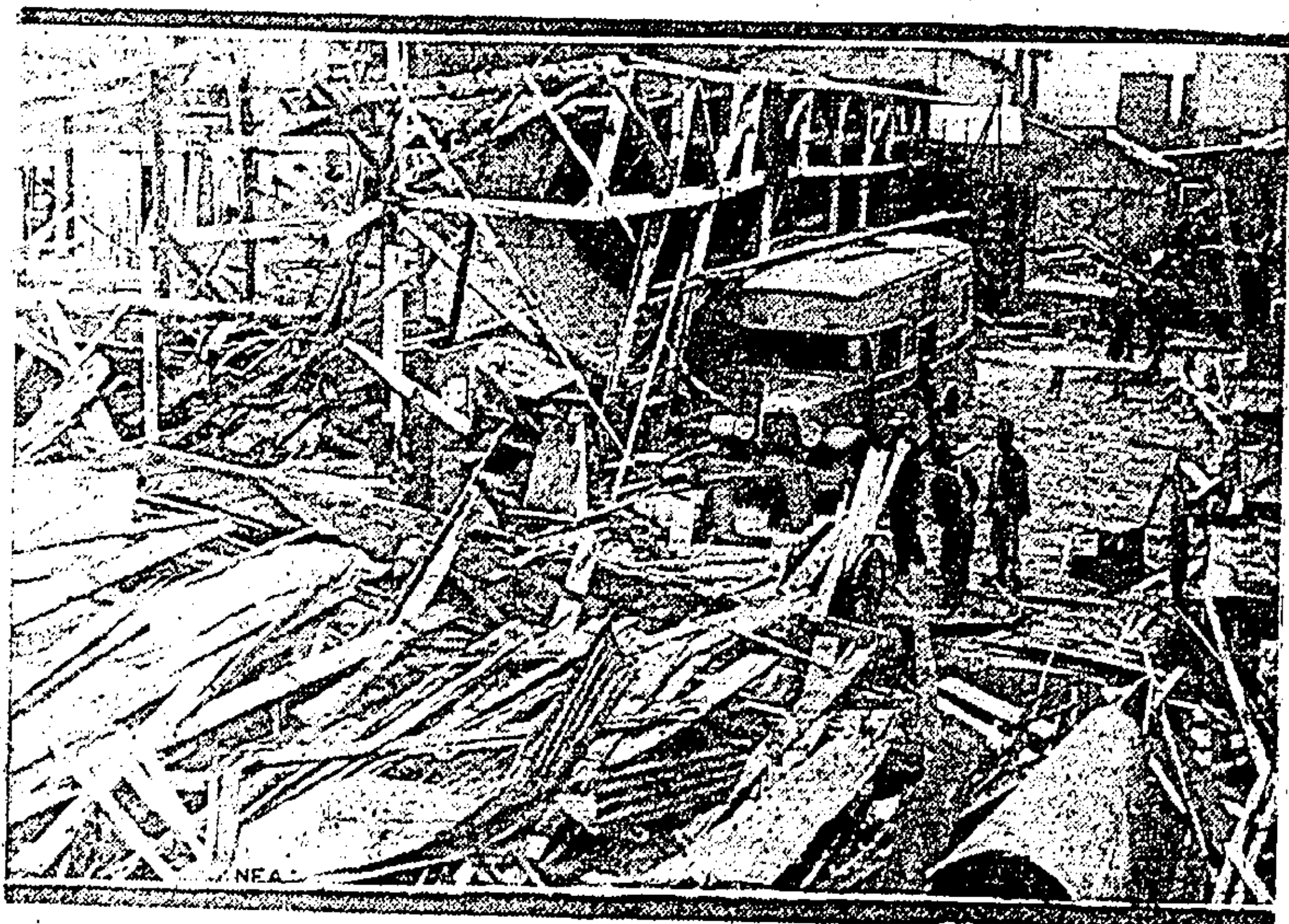
Sir Harry Lauder, as he sailed from New York at the end of his American tour. A passenger on the same ship was Douglas Fairbanks, left. At the right is Maurice Chevalier, French musical comedy actor.



Noted as one of the most beautiful of European's royal women, Queen Marie of Yugo Slavia is shown in the role of a mother in this new portrait. With her are the little Crown Prince Peter, right, and his infant brother, Prince Tomislav.



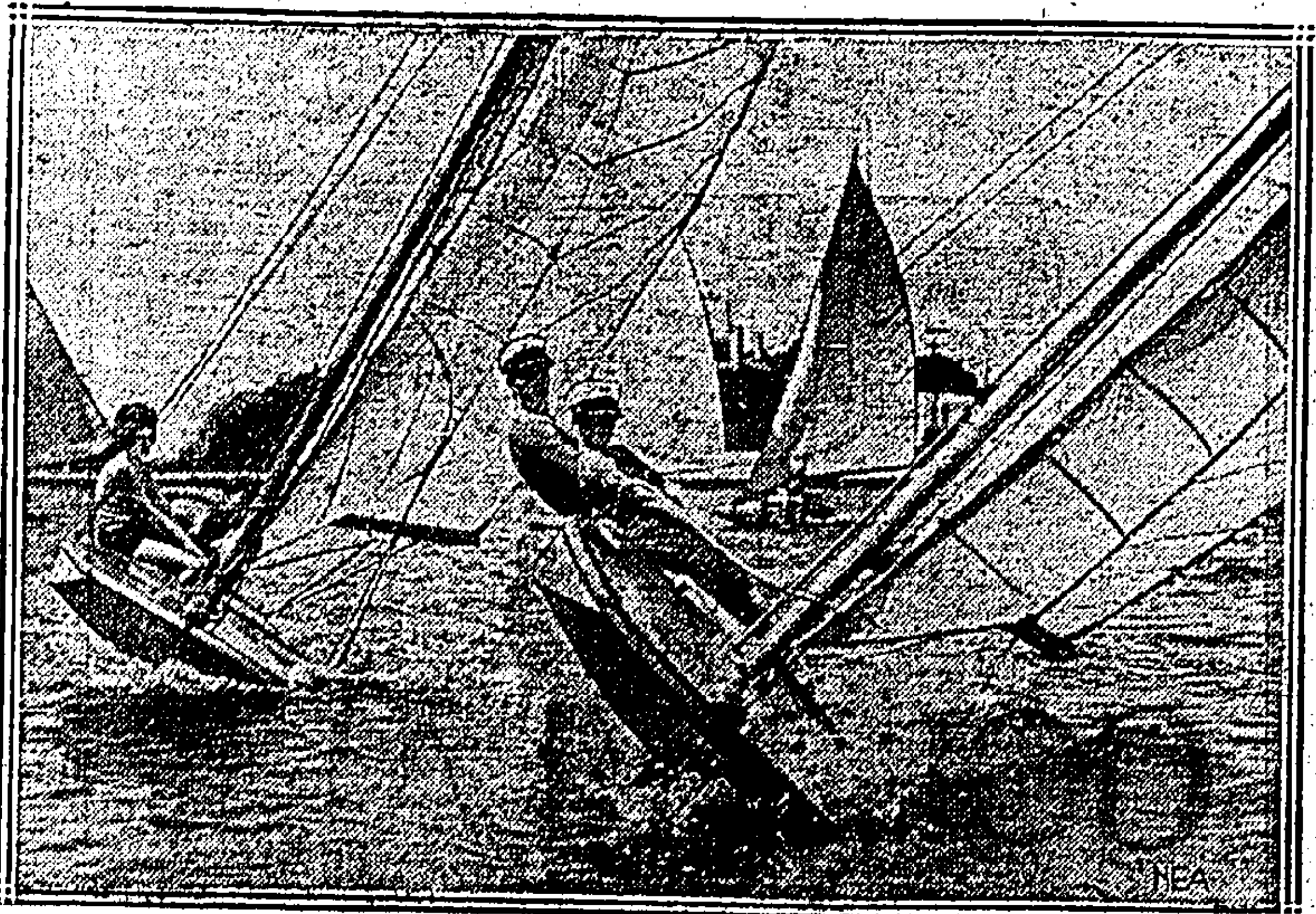
A typical gathering of India's teeming millions. This picture shows part of the hordes of devout Hindus who visit Benares to bathe in the sacred water of the Ganges, often journeying for hundreds of miles. Reverence for the Ganges is the essence of Hinduism, and in this ritual class, wealth and poverty are forgotten.



Here's a scene from the territory around Los Angeles where a sudden freak wind uprooted several buildings and caused other damage one Saturday.



The mighty Graf passing over historic Fleet Street during the recent cruise of the huge airship across the English Channel.



Bathing suits, the seantier the better, are the logical costumes for these daring mariners who scoot over the waves in "skimmers," the newest type of racing sailcraft. Two of them are pictured here rounding a sharp turn in northern California waters. Upsets are frequent, for the "skimmers" are temperamental when racing. The popular crew arrangement is a girl at the job and a man at the mainsheet and tiller.



J. E. Bristow, left, kidnaped Texas mining engineer, is shown here after his release by Mexican bandits on payment of 3000 pesos ransom by his son, Gordon Bristow, right, former football star at Oklahoma University. In the centre is E. W. Eaton, American vice consul, who assisted in negotiations.



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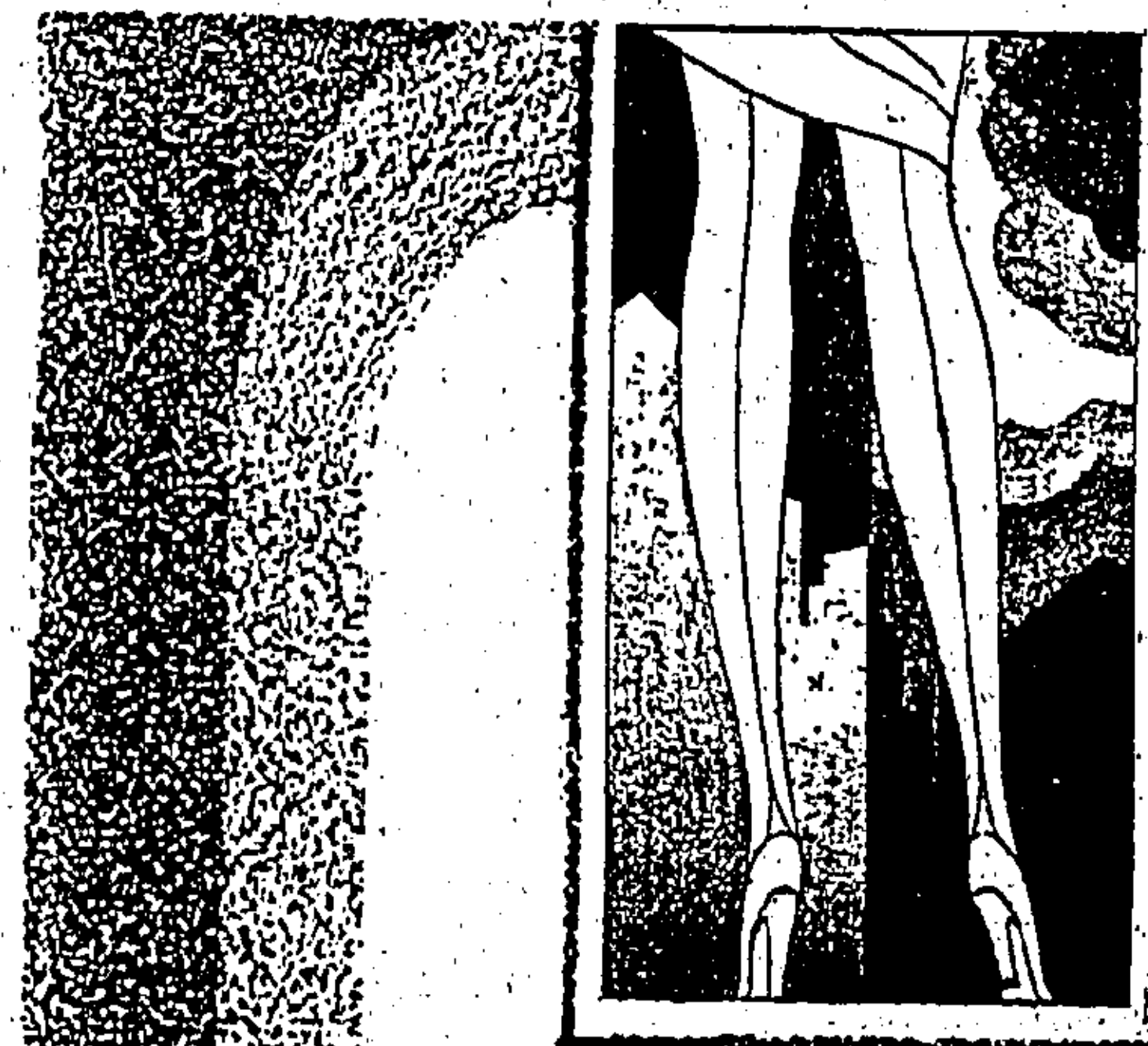
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By order of the Board.

W. L. MCKENZIE,
Secretary.

HONGKONG TELEPHONE CO., LIMITED.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 23rd June, to the 30th June, 1930, both days inclusive.

Dated this 22nd Day of May, 1930.

By Order of the Board.

W. L. MCKENZIE,
Secretary.

THE HONG KONG CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from Sunday, 22nd June, to Tuesday, 24th June, 1930, inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN ARNOLD,
Secretary.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

The Forty-Ninth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Office of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd., Pedder Street, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 18th June, 1930, at Noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 11th June to 2nd July, 1930, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. LTD.
General Managers.
Hongkong, 28th May, 1930.

Lammert's Auctions

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She had lived with a brother for 15 years and neighbours knew the couple as Mr. and Mrs. Thomas.

Her brother died, and it was stated at the previous hearing, before going to Southend she scribbled a note to the effect that, though they had passed as man and wife, they had not lived in that relationship.

After her death nearly £300 was found in War Stock in the house. Mrs. Elizabeth Wood, of Herbert-street, Plaistow, a cousin, said that even three years ago Miss Thomas was worried because neighbours said that she was living with her brother as his wife.

A letter to Mrs. Wood stated: "I cannot face any more scandal, but I know you will tell the truth about it." Miss Thomas enclosed a will leaving all her possessions to Mrs. Wood.

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CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

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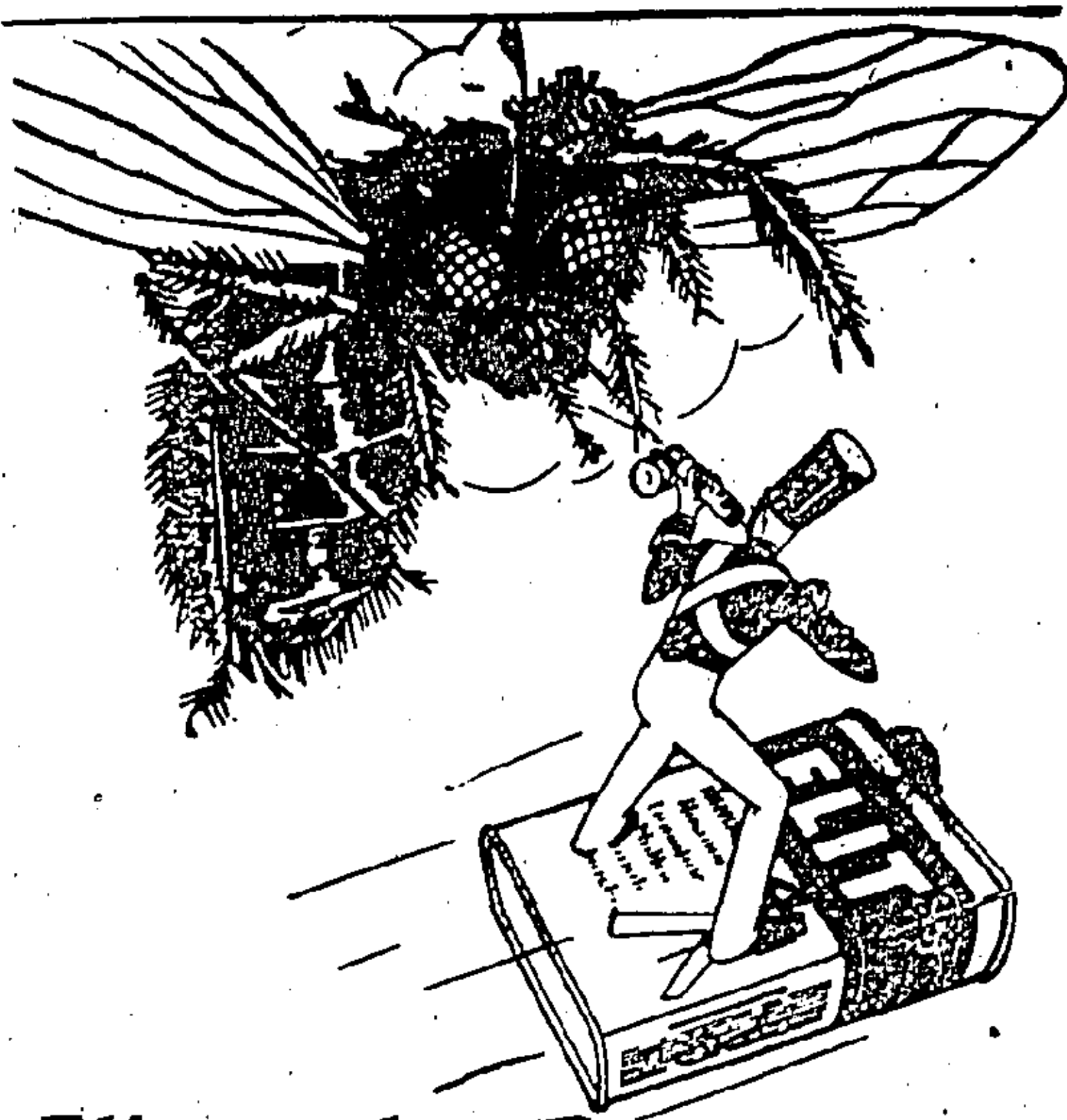
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Japan	Tango Maru	June 23.

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Amoy	Taiyuan Wed., June 18, 3.30 p.m.
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Straits	Registration June 18, 5 p.m.
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Letters June 19, 8.30 a.m.
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Haiphong	Cremer Thurs., June 19, 10 a.m.
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	G. G. Paul Doumer Thurs., June 19, 12.30 p.m.
Saigon	Telemachus Thurs., June 19, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea Thurs., June 19, 3 p.m.
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Shanghai and Japan	Mishima Maru Fri., June 20, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Haiching Fri., June 20, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Ranpura Sat., June 21, 5 p.m.
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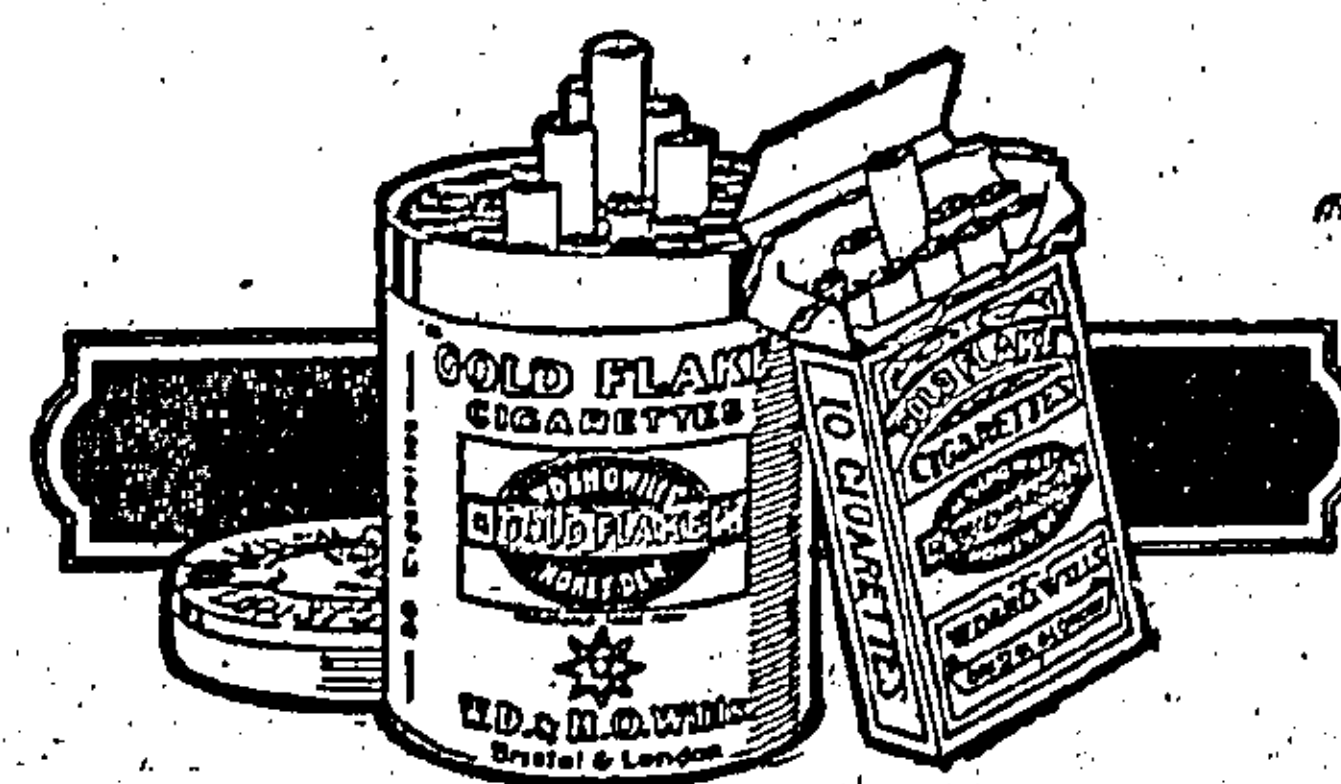
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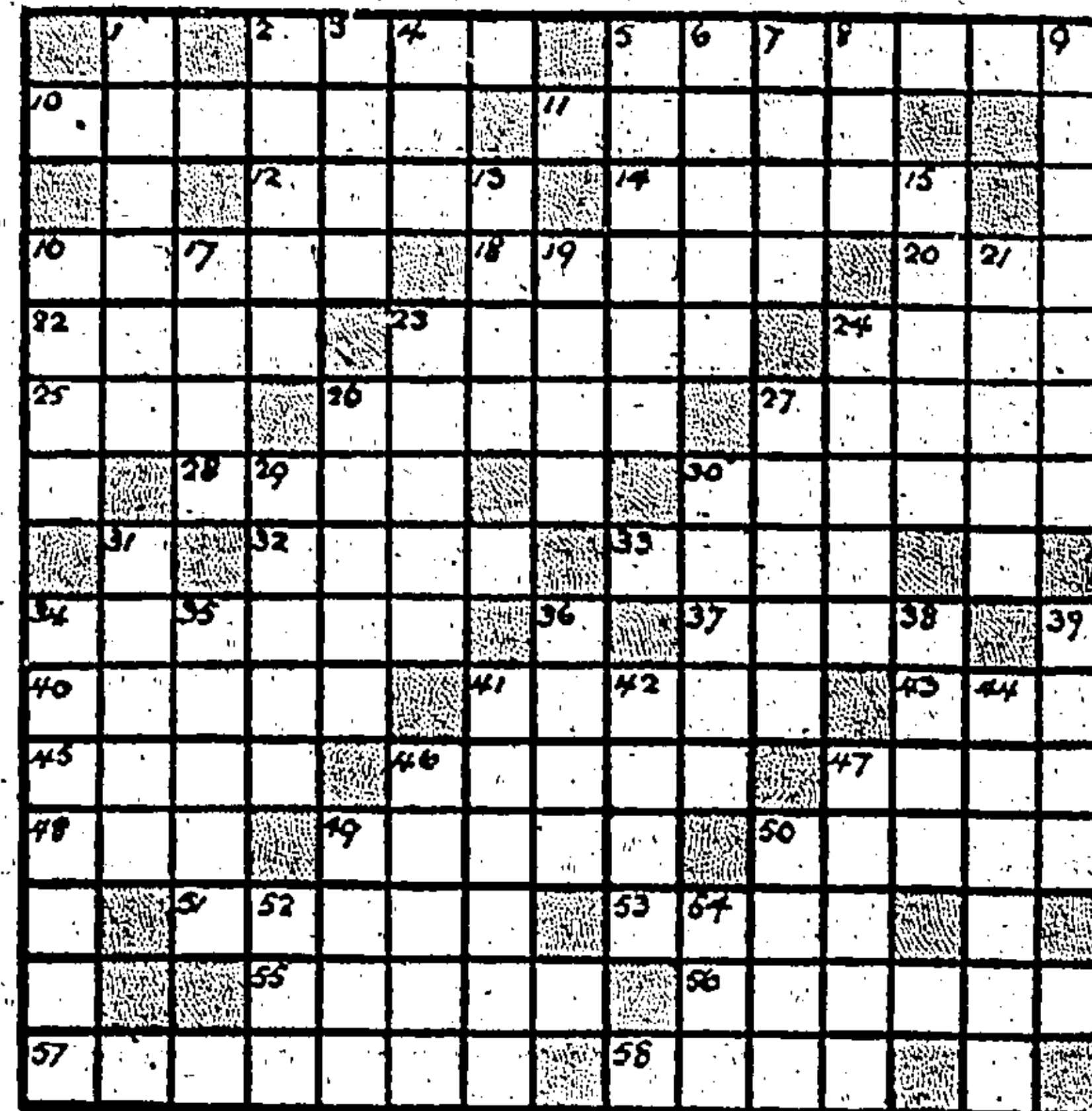
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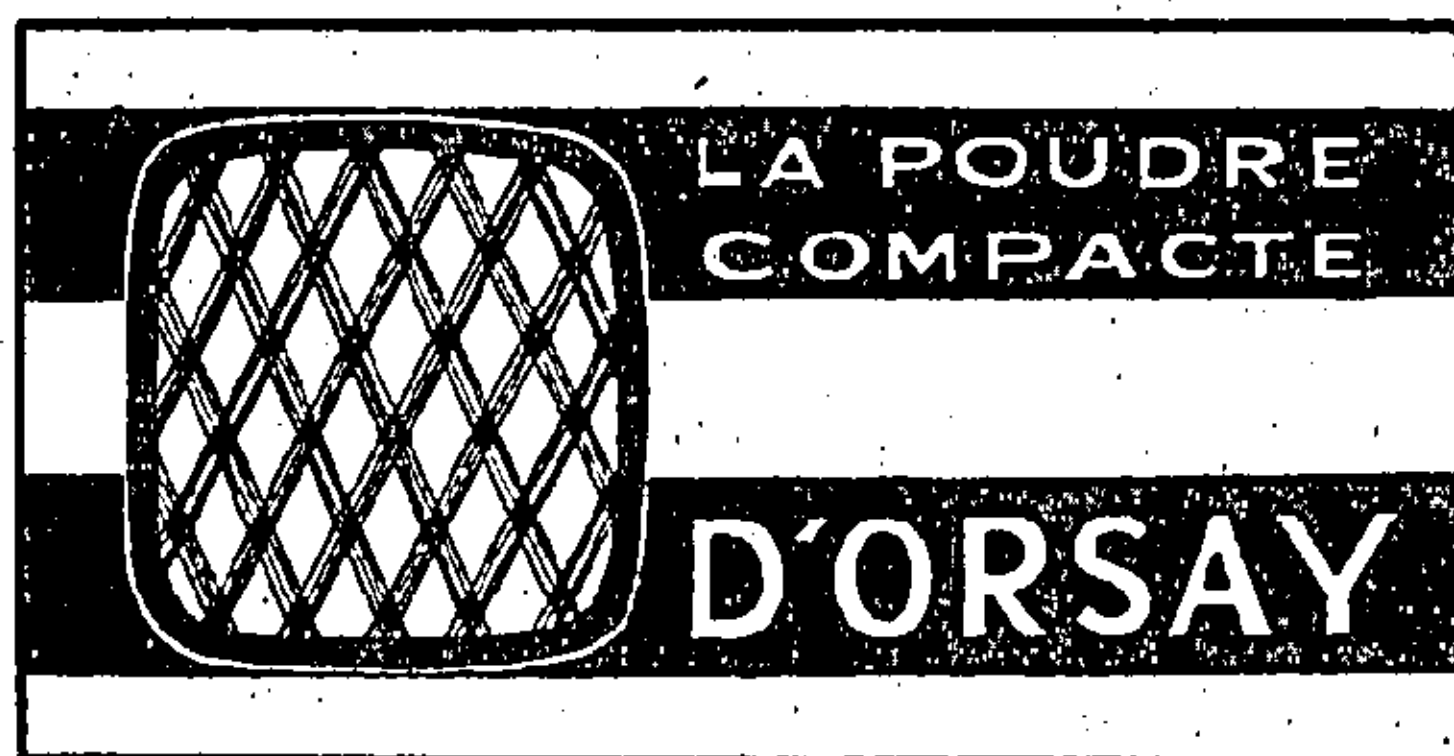
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The sound of breaking glass and the appearance of a woman's body through the glass roof of a shop in Oxtown-road, Birkenhead, was the prelude to the discovery of a tragedy in which two men were killed. They were Henry Eric Galloway, aged 24, a clerk, of Oxtown-road, and Joseph Doran, aged about 24, of Alvanley-place.

On Mrs. Galloway's 21st birthday, there was a party at which Doran was a guest. The party broke up early in the morning, and nothing was heard or seen of the Galloways until the afternoon, when the tragedy was discovered.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell and their family, who occupy a shop next to the Galloways, were sitting in their living-room when suddenly there was a tremendous crash of breaking glass from the roof of the Howells' shop. There was a cry of "Save me," and Mr. Howell, dashing into the shop, saw Mrs. Galloway, badly cut by the glass, clinging to the framework of the roof. He hurriedly pulled her into safety.

His daughter and Mrs. Harry Groom, a neighbour, ran round to the back door of Galloway's house, and, peering through the letter box, saw Doran's body lying at the bottom of the stairs.

Mrs. Groom at once told her father-in-law, who climbed through a bedroom window into Galloway's house. He found Galloway lying on the floor with a wire round his neck. Both Galloway and Doran were dead. Doran's body was badly battered about the head and shoulders.

The Galloways had been married about four years. There are two children—aged 18 months and three years.

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ATTRACTIONS THAT ARE UNRIVALLED.

"London can knock Paris hollow in the attractions it offers to visitors."

This was the keynote of the speech of Lord Bessborough at the annual luncheon of the Hotels and Restaurants Association of Great Britain at the Holborn Restaurant. It was emphasised by all the following speakers.

Mr. William Graham, President of the Board of Trade, Capt. Douglas Hacking, M.P., and Mr. J. J. Mallon, warden of Toyne Hall, all insisted on the unrivalled charms of Great Britain.

"Here round London," said Lord Bessborough, "for the next three months there are attractions unequalled by those of any other country in the world."

"For those who are fond of the water there is Henley; at Wimbledon there are the tennis championships; then there are the Test matches, the world-famed races at Epsom, Ascot, and Goodwood and the polo. Apart from sport we have the Royal Tournament, the Aldershot Tattoo, and the Trooping of the Colour, the Opera at Covent Garden, and the Royal

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Mr. Graham, stating that the estimated capital of the hotels and restaurants in England was more than £100,000,000, delighted those present by adding that they belonged to one of the large industries entitled to official recognition. Lord Bessborough welcomed this because, he said, that never before had such an announcement been made by a Minister.

Capt. Hacking, chairman of the Travel Association of Great Britain and Ireland, said that this year more than a million booklets of historic and important events in England had been published in four languages and distributed abroad.

New Hotel Laws.

Different licensing laws for hotels and public-houses were foreshadowed by Mr. J. J. Mallon, a member of the Licensing Commission. He congratulated Sir Francis Towle and Mr. Reeves-Smith, representing the hotel interests, for the way they gave their evidence, and stated, "Every member of the commission was deeply impressed. I think that every word they spoke has gone home, and you may certainly hope for a good result."

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TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 1930.

ECONOMY FIRST.

In reading, the other day, a banker's comments on the Snowdon Budget, we were struck by the use of certain phrases which, used in regard to the situation at Home, seemed to us equally applicable to conditions in Hongkong. Referring to criticisms of the additional taxation imposed, the writer said the root of the evil was failure on the part of the Government to curb expenditure, and that whilst the desirability of some of the proposals might or might not be open to argument, in the existing condition of trade and industry, the real question is not so much whether they are desirable as whether the country can afford them. A further observation, in regard to the growing expenditure of the State, was that there appears to be a tendency to imagine that an inexhaustible source exists from which additional funds can always be drawn. In conclusion, it was urged that Government expenditure must be curbed and a rigid policy of economy enforced.

After making allowances for the difference in the situations as between here and Home, the greater part of these comments, with very little variation, could be applied to Hongkong. We are being faced at the moment with heavy additional expenditure, largely due to the fact that our revenue is received in silver and our outgoings are paid in gold. In the circumstances, extra taxation seems inevitable, but, quite apart from the merits of any particular aspect of the problem, the fact has to be faced that there is a limit which the Colony can afford to pay. The moment, therefore, is appropriate in which to remind the Government that there is not here, any more than there is at Home, an inexhaustible source from which additional funds can be drawn. It is easy to talk, in this connexion, of what are termed luxury taxes, but it does not take more than a moment's consideration to realise that even imposts which come within this category represent a burden on trade and industry. So far, only the increased tobacco taxes have been notified, and the situation in this regard is not without a measure of irony inasmuch as coincident with the decision of the B. A. T. Company to open a factory here, the Govern-

ment notified the decision to impose these extra taxes. Because of the constant labour unrest, oppressive taxation and illegal interference with business in industrial centres in China, the hope has grown locally that in course of time many big business concerns operating in other parts of the East would transfer to Hongkong, where they would be free from Customs duties, excepting in respect of tobacco and liquor, and where they could count on protection and security under the British flag. There have, in fact, been one or two pointers in this direction already. The danger is, however, that, unless matters are closely watched, the burden of taxation may gradually rise to such an extent as to offset, at least in part, the advantages which Hongkong has to offer.

Older residents can remember when Hongkong was literally a free port. It still is, excepting for the duties on tobacco and liquor, but the fact must not be overlooked that these imposts have been greatly increased since their inception and to that extent are an added burden to trade, to say nothing of their effects on the standard of living. So, also, in regard to the suggestion that the assessment tax should be increased, it will be true that, if enforced, it will hit business establishments and the community alike. Hongkong has been built up on its free-port status and on the relative lightness of its general taxation. Any tendency to add to the burdens must have a harmful effect on the Colony's future, for we all know that, once imposed, taxes are seldom lifted; they are more apt to be regarded as burdens which can be borne indefinitely, and Government expenditure adjusted accordingly. We therefore again suggest that rigid economy must be the policy of the Government if this Colony is to hold its own. Far better would it be to slow down development than to sanction expenditure which must mean increased taxation. The issue is simply one of what we can afford and what trade can be reasonably expected to bear.

New Territory Road.

It is an annual complaint during the summer months that some of the Colony's roads are sanded to such an extent that they become dangerous. The complaint has been voiced already this year, particularly in connexion with sections of the New Territory road, and on the condition of certain stretches during the past week the protest against what has been considered excessive sanding is justifiable. Sections of road recently laid down were sanded to such an extent that they were a menace to motor cyclists and a cause of considerable annoyance, if not actual danger, to the better-protected driver of a motor car. The obvious danger is when a motorist, blinded by the sand thrown up by a vehicle ahead, loses control temporarily. We submit that this is quite a likely result of excessive sanding and coupled with this danger is that of skids to motor cyclists, however careful they may be. It is curious that some parts of the road are sanded and others not, yet they appear to have the same surfaces and all receive much of the sun's heat. A tour of the New Territories during the week-end revealed an absence of consistency in the sanding, but perhaps the official reply to this would be that it is impossible to treat the entire circular road at one and the same time. The question does arise, however, whether, apart from the expensive concrete road, there is any known surface which is not affected by heat and which does not need constant sanding to preserve it. If there is, then apparently, it is not known in Hongkong, or else it is known and is far too costly. Concrete is now being used extensively in the Colony for the first time and while it may exceed in cost per mile the majority of other forms of road surface, there is a great deal to commend it; if it is satisfactory,

DAY BY DAY.

THE POOR DEMAND RESPECT
RATHER THAN SYMPATHY.—C. F. G.
Masterman.

Mr. T. Carr Ramsey was among the passengers arriving by the a.s. President Lincoln.

The Legislative Council is to meet on Thursday. This will be the first meeting presided over by H. E. Sir William Peel.

Quarantine restrictions imposed by Hongkong against arrivals from Shanghai on account of cerebro-spinal fever have been removed.

Mr. Edgar E. Strother, Manager of the Hongkong branch of Messrs. Millington Limited, and Mrs. Strother have removed to the Peak Hotel.

The dollar again dropped this morning, the opening rate being 1s. 2 1/2d. This is the lowest on record with the exception of the rate of 1s. 2 1/8d. on June 5th.

Arriving here from Shanghai and Amoy, Capt. Robertson, of the Tai-yuan, reported to the Harbour Office that a junk lies awash in Lat. 24° 18' N. and Long. 118° 11' E.

A report was made to the police this morning by Mr. J. L. de la Motte, plumber of the President Lincoln, to the effect that he lost or had stolen from his cabin a 14 carat gold watch sometime between 6 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. yesterday.

Falling 20 feet from the verandah of the second floor to the pavement at No. 11, Wing Wo Street yesterday, Kau Cho-chuen, aged five years, fractured his skull. He is in the Government Civil Hospital in a serious condition.

The dropping of a lighted cigarette is believed to have started a fire which caused \$200 damage to a car near a petrol pump in Hill Road at 8.15 p.m. yesterday. Luk King-cheung, licensed public motor driver, was in charge of the vehicle, but was not injured.

Passengers who left Hongkong by the a.s. President Grant included Mr. A. E. McCartney, of the P. and O. Bank; Mr. C. Shank, of the Hongkong Excavation and Pile Driving Company; and Mr. J. E. Perkins, representative of the Paramount Motion Picture Corporation.

Last week's health return shows nine cases of typhoid, with four deaths; three deaths from influenza, one from diphtheria, six from malaria and 65 from tuberculosis, as well as one non-fatal case of small-pox. All were Chinese excepting three of typhoid and one of tuberculosis.

Banished for a period of ten years in 1924 following three previous convictions for larceny from the person, a young Chinese who appeared before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning was sentenced to eight months' hard labour in addition to 15 strokes of the birch.

A Chinese, who was described as being a habitual criminal from Singapore, from where he had been banished, was given four months' hard labour by Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of larceny of firewood from a shop. The defendant on being sent away from Singapore was automatically banished from Hongkong, he being refused a landing here.

The boat girl who asked Mr. Lindsell on Saturday to send her to gaol for six months for having had opium in her possession was again before the magistrate this morning. Mr. Grimmett, of the Revenue Department, said he had seen the Secretary for Chinese Affairs and he could do nothing with the girl. The girl finally agreed to enter into a bond of \$50 on her mother's surety to be of good behaviour for 12 months.

Charged with carrying 14 passengers in excess of the number shown on his licence, the master of a passenger boat pleaded guilty at the Marine Court this morning before the Hon. Comdr. G. F. Hole, and was fined \$14. The mistress of a passenger boat admitted two charges, (a) failing to notify the Harbour Office of a change of ownership of her boat and (b) carrying 23 passengers in excess of the number allowed by her licence. On the first count, defendant was fined \$28 and on the second \$10.

then it should be even more widely used, even though the funds available per year would only permit smaller sections than would be the case if the present stone with tar dressing method was continued. At any rate it is highly desirable from many points of view that sanding should be dispensed with. It is for the authorities concerned to discover a method and thus remove road conditions which undoubtedly gravely increase the risks of accidents.

ARMS CLEVERLY HIDDEN.

STORED IN HOLLOWED-OUT
BEAM.

A quantity of arms and ammunition, as well as dynamite and detonators, cleverly concealed on board a fishing junk was revealed by a Police search which was carried out under Detective Sergeant Kellett yesterday in the Yau-mai Typhoon.

The master was placed in custody when the contraband goods were found and before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning he was charged with being in unlawful possession of two rifles, 104 rounds of rifle ammunition, one Mauser pistol and 15 rounds of Mauser pistol ammunition, and also with being in possession of a quantity of dynamite and 34 detonators.

The defendant pleaded guilty to both charges.

Detective Sergeant Kellett produced a beam which had been hollowed out to afford sufficient space for the contraband goods. The beam, when the raid was carried out, was in place supporting, to all intents and purposes, the deck of the junk. The Police had received information, otherwise the junk might have been searched for a whole year without the arms being discovered.

The officer mentioned that the defendant could give no satisfactory explanation for having the arms except that they had been left on board by somebody.

His Worship imposed a fine of \$500 or three months' hard labour on the first charge and a further fine of \$50 on the second.

EARLY MORNING CAR ACCIDENT.

INJURIES SUSTAINED BY
CHINESE WOMEN.

Two Chinese women, travelling in a hire car shortly after one o'clock this morning were injured by being thrown forward in their seats when the vehicle collided with a tramway standard.

The accident took place in Des Voeux Road Central, near Claverly Street, the car being driven in a westward direction at the time.

The car sustained damage to the bumper, the radiator and the windscreen, which was shattered.

The two passengers were taken to the Government Civil Hospital, but went away some time later after their injuries had been attended.

The driver of the public car was not injured.

PRETTY WEDDING.

NAVAL YARD POLICE
OFFICER MARRIED.

The wedding took place at St. John's Cathedral this morning of Sergeant John McClelland, of the Naval Yard Police, and Miss Ethel Bold, formerly of Messrs. Lane, Crawford.

The bride was attired in a long, uneven hem lemon georgette dress, with a crinoline hat, whilst Miss Barbara Budden, the bridesmaid, was similarly attired. Mrs. Edward McNay, the bride's sister was the matron of honour, Sgt. McNay gave the bride away and Mr. Ernest Tuck was "best man." The Rev. H. F. Foley, Naval Chaplain, officiated.

After a reception at Lane, Crawford's restaurant, the couple left on their honeymoon for Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.

WATER LEVELS.

ON WEST, NORTH AND
EAST RIVERS.

The following table, issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission, shows in English feet the water levels on the West River, North River and East River, on the dates named:

	June 15	June 16
Shuihung	13.4	13.8
Tsingyuen	7.1	6.9
Samshui	7.1	7.3
Shaklung	2.4	2.4

The highest levels on record are: Shuihung, 41 feet; Tsingyuen, 29.2 feet; Samshui, 27.8 feet; Shaklung, 15.5 feet.

The lowest level on record at Samshui is minus 5 feet and at Shaklung minus 2.7 feet.

OCCASIONAL RAIN.

The Royal Observatory reports that the Northern depression is central to the N. E. of Tokyo. The Southern depression remains central over Tongking. The local forecast is:—Southerly or variable winds, moderate, generally overcast; occasional rain.

The Very Idea!

The late Dr. Nansen was a rare visitor to London, particularly in his later years, says a writer in the *Daily Telegraph*. But he was a member of the Savage Club, and a large picture of the great explorer, in Polar costume, with his signature straggling across it, hangs in one of the corridors. When he was entertained at a club dinner soon after the Fram expedition, he seemed worried about something towards the end of the evening and asked if he might send a club messenger to his hotel with a note.

The man returned with a fur overcoat, and Nansen explained that it was a chilly evening and he was afraid he might catch cold on the way home!

"At times my wife seems to be trying to be an angel," "You mean when she wants something from you?" "No; when she drives the car."

(Incompatibility in married couples is said to result from a difference in their chemical compositions, and can therefore be cured by dieting.)

When there's thunder in the air, and the once devoted pair

Are inclined to grow diver-

gently polemical,

They may like to be assured that

the trouble they've endured

Is the consequence of differ-

ences chemical.

Maybe, lack of calcium makes

him diffident and glum,

And his oxygen starts forces

argumentative.

Till a timely change of fare

makes them lovingly declare,

That a cure is, just as good

as a preventative.

A wedding had been arranged

to take place in a little country

church. On the morning of the

happy event, a young man and a

young girl presented themselves

at the altar steps.

When, however, the youth was

asked if he would take the girl

for his wife, he blushed and

stammered.

"But, sir," he said, "I'm not the

man."

"Then where is the bride-

groom?" asked the minister.

"He's down at the door,"

returned the other. "He's too

shy to come in!"

R.A.F. Official: Do you know

anything about an aeroplane

which dropped here?

Small Boy (holding catapult

and trembling): No, sir; I've only

been shootin' at sparrers!

EXCHANGE RATES.

	London, June 16.
Paris	123.815
Brussels	34.23
Amsterdam	12.08 1/2
Berlin	20.37
Copenhagen	38.15
Vienna	34.425
Helsingfors	193
Lisbon	108.25
Bucharest	818
Buenos Aires	41 1/2
Shanghai	1/5 1/4
Yokohama	2/10 13/32
New York	4.85 13/16
Geneva	25.075
Milan	52.76
Stockholm	18.015
Oslo	18.165
Prague	193 1/2
Madrid	41.575
Rio	375
Athens	5.17 3/32
Bombay	1/5 25/32
Hongkong	1/3
Silver (spot)	15.11/16
Silver (forward)	15.15/16

—British Wireless.

WHO WAS—

BILL SIKES?

Bill Sikes is the affectionate name that we give to any burglar nowadays, but the original character merited but scant affection; being the very incarnation of bestiality and ignorance.

Created by Charles Dickens in "Oliver Twist," Bill Sikes was indeed a most unconscionable blackguard. A house-breaker by trade, desperate and surly by disposition, he was the terror of his district, being feared by his own confederates as much as by law-abiding citizens.

It was this abominable brute who took charge of young Oliver upon a house-breaking expedition, but fortunately the lad was rescued from his clutches. Sikes' career was one long series of crime and brutalities which culminated in the murder of his mistress, Nancy.

He fled from justice and roamed for a time over the countryside, but on his return to Jacob's Island he accidentally hanged himself, while trying to get away from the vengeance of a crowd, thus doing the hangman out of a job.

NOTED AMERICAN INVENTOR.

DEATH OF MR. ELMER A SPERRY.

GYROSCOPE EXPERT.

New York, June 16. The death has occurred of Mr. Elmer Ambrose Sperry, the inventor of the gyro-compass, and well-known electrical engineering expert. —*Reuter's American Service.*

The late Mr. Sperry was born at Cortland, New York, in 1860, and after being a student at the State Normal and Training School he founded, in 1880, the Sperry Electric Co. of Chicago, manufacturers of arc lamps, dynamos, etc. He also later founded the Sperry Electric Railway Co., of Cleveland, which he sold to the General Electric Company in 1894.

Besides the gyro-compass, he invented aeroplane and ship stabilisers, high intensity searchlight, compound internal combustion engine, fire control apparatus, and numerous special devices, principally for the United States Navy. Since 1910, he had been President of the Sperry Gyroscope Co., of Brooklyn, manufacturers of his inventions.

He erected the highest electric beacon in the world (about 350 feet) on Lake Michigan in 1883, invented the first electric chain mining machine in 1888, designed the electric automobile, and held over 400 patents in U.S.A. and Europe.

His awards included 1st prize of the Aero Club of France, 1914; Franklin Medal, Philadelphia, 1914; grand prize for gyro-compass and gyroscopes, San Francisco Exposition, 1915; Collier Trophy for drift set, 1916; and Scientific American Medal. He was decorated by Czar Nicholas of Russia for navigation equipment, and also received a decoration from the Emperor of Japan.

ENGLAND ALL OUT.

(Continued from Page 1.)

innings when he compiled 50, was unable to stand up to the bowling and he fell at four to McCabe. Grimmett clean bowled Larwood and Tyldesley for seven and five respectively, Duckworth carrying his bat for fourteen. So, with only six extras on the board England's innings closed at 302, leaving the Australians with 429 runs to get to win.

The failure in both innings of Hammond and Woolley is somewhat surprising. Both chosen for their batting ability, they have failed signally, and it has been left to the older batsmen like Hobbs, Sutcliffe and Hendren to do the greater part of the scoring. Chapman too has played a large part in the comparatively strong position in which England now is.

Grimmett's Damage.

Grimmett, the well known slow bowler, claimed the most wickets but the batsmen did not find it unusually difficult to make runs off him. He took five of England's wickets for 94 runs, making a total in both innings of ten wickets for 201. Wall got three for 67, making his average for both innings four for 114. It is rather curious that four of the five Australian bowlers each had four maidens. They were only 19 maidens out of a grand total of 96 overs in the innings.

When the Australians went in to try and get 429 runs they met with an early disaster. Woodfull, the captain, falling a victim to Larwood when he had made only four. Bradman joined Ponsford and they were still together when play ended for the day, Ponsford having made 21 and Bradman 31. Up to this time there were four extras, bringing Australia's total up to 60 for one wicket. Hence, Australia are faced with the task of getting another 369 more runs with their nine wickets.

Broadcast to Australia.

A British Wireless message received to-day states that after the close of play on Saturday evening Mr. Pelham Warner, the famous English cricketer, gave a description of the game to Sydney by means of the wireless telephone. His talk was broadcast throughout Australia. To commemorate this inauguration it is proposed to erect a table in the room in the grand stand from which Mr. Warner spoke.

The first innings scores in the Test match are appended:

England—1st Innings.

J. B. Hobbs, c Richardson, b McCabe	78
H. Sutcliffe, c Hornibrook, b Fairfax	29
W. R. Hammond, lb.w. Grimmett	8
F. E. Woolley, st. Oldfield, b Grimmett	0
E. Hendren, b Grimmett	5
A. P. F. Chapman, c Ponsford, b Hornibrook	52
H. Larwood, b Grimmett	18
R. W. V. Robins, not out	50
M. W. Tate, b Grimmett	13

THE O.T.C. RECEIVE COLOURS.

KING PRAISES ETONIANS' WAR EFFORTS.

VALOUR RECALLED.

London, June 16. In the Quadrangle of Windsor Castle, the King, in the uniform of a Field-Marshal, accompanied by the Queen, presented to-day to the Officers Training Corps their new colours. These are a replica of the colours sanctioned by Queen Victoria 70 years ago.

The most famous regiments of the line have been in the Quadrangle to receive their colours from the Sovereign, but never before has a Public School Battalion been accorded a similar honour.

Before the five hundred Cadets marched past, the King, addressing them said:—"In the patriotic wave of 1860, which brought your force into being, Eton was among the first of the Public Schools to be enrolled. There is no battlefield, no outpost of Empire where Etonians have not fought with valour and worked with distinction."

"During the Great War you had a splendid record—5,715 Etonians served in the Forces and 1,058 gave their lives, while 13 Victoria Crosses were awarded."

"As Colonel-in-Chief of the Officers Training Corps, I have followed this movement from its beginning with interest and appreciation. In war the valuable work of the Corps can never be estimated. In peace it forms a happy link of comradeship between the Public Schools and paves the way for commissions in our Regular and Territorial Army. Above all, it helps to stimulate the formation of character and fosters that esprit des corps which is the proud heritage of our race."

—*British Wireless.*

INTERNATIONAL BANK CAPITAL.

OTHER NATIONS INVITED TO SUBSCRIBE.

Basle, June 16. After a meeting of the Council of the Bank of International Settlements, M. Pierre Quesnay, the Director General, issued a statement in which he emphasised the success of the issue of shares in the Bank and also of the Young Loan.

He announced that the Council had decided to invite the issuing banks of twelve other nations to take up capital in the Bank of International Settlements. These countries are Austria, Hungary, Poland, Rumania, Greece, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Finland, Denmark, Yugoslavia, and Portugal. The two last named will be granted shares only when their currencies are stabilised.

These banks will be allowed to take up a maximum of 40,000 shares.—*Reuter.*

STEAM PACKET CO.

MR. WALTER RUNCIMAN NOW ON THE BOARD.

London, June 16. The Court of Directors of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, which recently appointed a committee of bankers to advise on matters of finance following a big reduction in working profits last year, has now appointed Mr. Walter Runciman M.P. to be a director and deputy-chairman of the Company.—*Reuter.*

R. Tyldesley, c Fairfax, b Wall	1
G. Duckworth, l. b. w. Fairfax	4
Extras	12
Total	270

Bowling Analysis.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wall	17	4	47	1
Fairfax	21.4	5	51	2
Grimmett	32	6	107	5
Hornibrook	12	3	30	1
McCabe	7	3	23	1

Australia—1st Innings.	O.	M.	R.	W.
W. H. Ponsford, b Tate	3			
W. M. Woodfull, c Chapman, b Tate	2			
A. Fairfax, c Hobbs, b Robins	14			
D. G. Bradman, b Tate	8			
A. Kippax, not out	64			
S. McCabe, c Hammond, b Robins	37			
W. A. Oldfield, c Tyldesley, b W. A. Oldfield, c Duckworth, b Robins	4			
C. V. Grimmett, st. Duckworth, b Robins	0			
P. M. Hornibrook, lb.w. Larwood	0			
T. Wall, b Tyldesley	0			
Extras	8			

Bowling Analysis.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Larwood	15	8	12	1
Tate	19	8	20	3
Tyldesley	21	8	53	2
Robins	17	4	51	4

BATHING MATSHED A KIDNAPPED LAD RETURNS.

THEFT.

LAD STEALS SCHOOLMATE'S WRIST WATCH.

BOUND OVER TO-DAY.

"Don't disgrace your parents; let this be a lesson to you," said Mr. Lindsell to-day at the Central Police Court, when he bound over Yuen Ye-kong (18), a pupil of Sainam School, Bonham Road, who pleaded guilty to stealing a gold wrist watch from a schoolmate.

It was stated by Detective Sergeant Goodwin that the two young men yesterday went down to the Chinese Civil Service Bathing Club at Quarry Bay, and that, while changing before going into the water, Yuen suggested to his companion that he should conceal his wrist watch in a shoe, having in view the possibility of theft during their absence from the shed.

However, the theft took place and the watch was not in the shoe when they returned to the shed. Yuen, who should have been the only person to know where the article was kept, professed to be as much puzzled by the theft as his companion; but when enquiries were made at the office where valuables were handed in for safe-keeping, it was discovered that, some short time before, Yuen had handed in a handkerchief containing a number of articles. One of these was the watch in question.

"There have been numerous complaints of thefts at the shed," said Sergeant Goodwin, who also added that the defendant came of respectable parents and that this was his first offence.

"Why did you do such a thing?" asked Mr. Lindsell of the defendant.

Yuen replied that he yielded to the temptation of the moment.

After warning the defendant, his Worship bound him over in two personal sureties of \$100 each.

TOWER FALLS ON 20 WOMEN.

"HAUNTED BY AN EVIL SPIRIT."

An old tower near Smyrna collapsed killing 13 or more women, and causing serious injury to eight others.

A number of women had been working in the opium fields.

They were resting in the shade, to escape the noonday heat, under the walls of the old tower, when it collapsed, burying them in the ruins.

The noise of the falling masonry attracted people from the neighbouring fields and villages.

These had great difficulty in extricating the women.

The old tower was reputed in the neighbourhood to be haunted by evil spirits and this has heightened the impression of awe caused by the accident on the superstitious villagers.

The brief mention of an attempted burglary at 3, Cambay Building, the residence of Mr. E. Spradberry, was made before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when a Chinese appeared before his Worship on a charge of trying to break and enter the house. On the application of Detective Inspector Fallon, a remand for 48 hours for enquiries into the incident, was granted.



"Come, Elbert. Those aren't perfectly marked."

CLAIMS TO BE OF U.S. NATIONALITY.

HERE FROM MANILA.

Alleged to have been kidnapped in Hongkong and spirited away on a steamer to Manila, James Richard Hunt, aged 12 years, was returned to his mother here yesterday on the s.s. Aki Maru after having been deported by the Philippine Island immigration authorities.

The boy arrived in Manila on May 22 on the Kaga Maru and he was detained, as the Collector of Customs had received word from the American Consul at Hongkong that the boy was alleged to have been kidnapped. He claimed to be an American, and, in the absence of papers, a special board of enquiry recommended his immediate deportation.

He was detained, however, pending advice from Hongkong. The Collector informed the Hongkong Consul, Mr. Harold Shantz, that should the mother wish to have her son, he could be deported; otherwise, he would have to remain in Manila until the Consul could prove him to be an American.

Word was received just before the Aki Maru left that the boy's mother was insistent on his return.

BID FOR RECORD.

320 M.P.H. PLANE FOR PRIVATE OWNER.

One of the 320 miles an hour Gloster-Napier seaplanes built for the Air Ministry for the Schneider Trophy contest, has been sold to a private owner.

It is understood that he proposes to use it in an attempt on the world speed record of 357.7 m.p.h. made by the Super-Marine Rolls Royce S6.

The purchaser is an expert on supercharging motor-car and aeroplane engines, and hopes, by supercharging the special Napier engine, to obtain an increase in power and speed sufficient to create a new record.

A speed approaching 400 miles an hour is being aimed at.

Should the attempt be successful the machine will be entered for next year's Schneider Trophy.

The Gloster-Napier is now at Croydon Aerodrome, where the machine, as distinct from the engine, is being over-hauled and modified in readiness for the speed attempt.

SHIP'S FIRST CALL.

CORATO ARRIVES WITH A CARGO OF OIL.

With 7,550 tons of fuel oil for Hongkong, the s.s. Corato arrived here at 3 p.m. on June 15, incidentally registering her first appearance in this port. She is under the command of Capt. John Finlayson with a crew of eight British officers and 33 Asiatic seamen.

The Corato is a one-master steamer of 3,476 nett tonnage and left Balikpapan for Hongkong on June 8. She is owned by the Hadley Steamship Co. of London, for whom the Asiatic Petroleum Co. are the local agents.

SPORTING PEER'S DEATH.

OWNER OF GRAND NATIONAL RACECOURSE.

EARL OF SEFTON.

London, June 16.

The death is announced of the Earl of Sefton, the well-known sporting Peer, whose large estates at Liverpool included the Grand National Race Course.

In his younger days, the Earl did much big game hunting in Africa. He was Master of the Horse in 1906-7 under the Liberal Government, having charge of all matters relating to the King's stables, but he resigned owing to disagreement with the Government's Policy.—*British Wireless.*

The deceased Earl was the sixth holder of the title, which was created in 1771. He was born in 1871 and succeeded his brother in 1901. He was formerly a Lieutenant in the Life Guards, and in 1898 he married Lady Helena Mary Bridgeman, daughter of the 4th Earl of Bradford. He owned about 34,000 acres.

The heir to the title is Viscount Molyneux, who was born on December 22nd, 1898. He was educated at Sandhurst and became a Captain in the Royal Horse Guards. From 1925 to 1926 he was A.D.C. to the General Officer Commanding the Madras District.

VALUE OF X-RAYS IN INDUSTRY.

ROYAL INSTITUTION'S RESEARCHES.

The research work of the Royal Institution will be materially assisted by an endowment of £20,000 which has been accepted by the Institution from the trustees of the Rockefeller Foundation, on condition that an additional £50,000 be independently secured for the same purpose before June 30, 1933.

The aim of the Institution, Mr. Martin, the general secretary, stated is to secure a sufficient sum to maintain the work of research, without recourse to Government assistance. Donations are frequently received from industrial sources.

Sir William Bragg, Director of the Laboratory, is in America, where he is to receive the Franklin Medal of the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia, the highest honour which American science has to offer. The manner in which X-rays are being utilised for chemical research was explained by Dr. A. Muller, assistant director.

"X-ray analysis," he stated, "is undertaken with a new microscope, by which we can observe smaller quantities than by any of the older methods. A general result has been to show that almost everything, including paper, is crystalline in structure."

New Test for Pearls.

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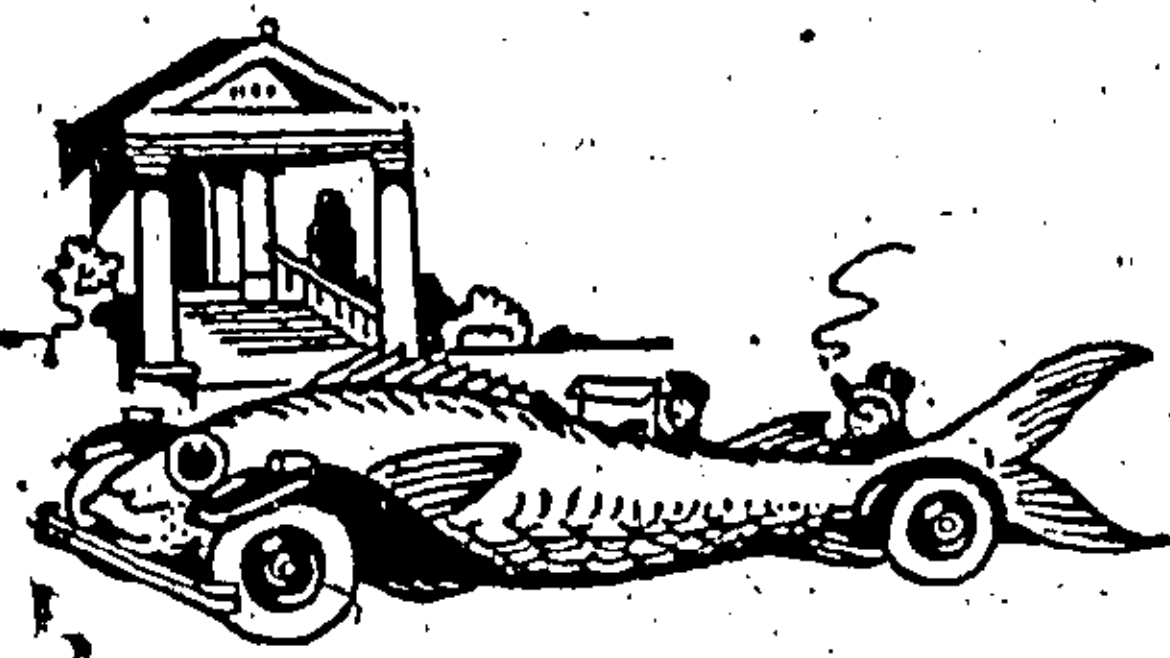
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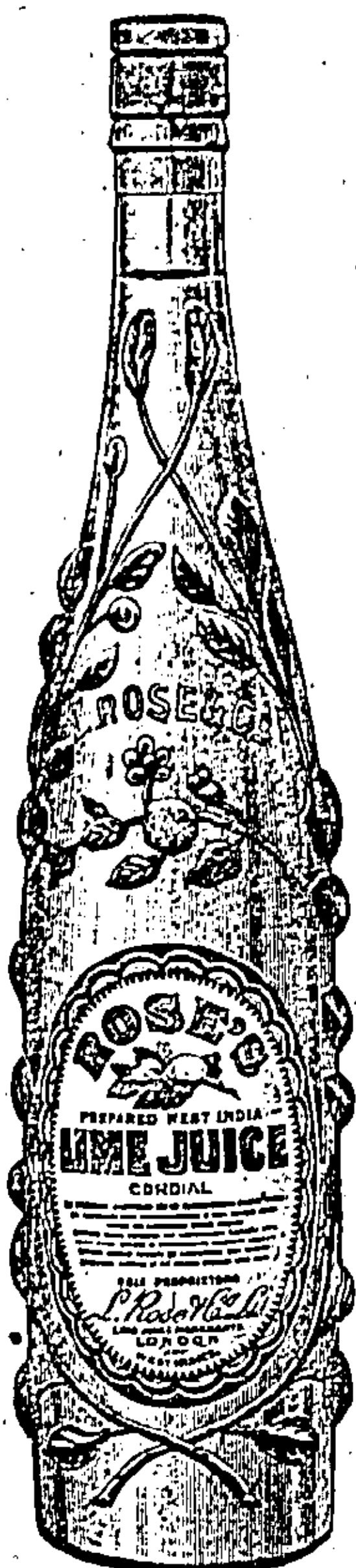
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CINEMA NOTES.

CHARACTER INTERPRETER IN "SALUTE."

Clifford Dempsey, who portrays the role of Major General Somers, U.S.A., retired, in "Salute," John Ford's most recent all talking Fox Movietone picture, is an unusual figure of the theatrical world in that he has played character roles from the beginning of his career. Dempsey's first appearance before the footlights was in 1914 at the Astor Theatre in New York under the direction of George M. Cohan in "The Miracle Man." He played eighty-four weeks in "The Man Who Came Back" in New York and Chicago.

Other plays in which he has been featured include "Hit the Trail Halliday," "The Gorilla," "At 9.45" and "Al Souls Eve," the last named with Maxine Elliott.

Dempsey's first screen role was that of Keegan, the detective, in the all talking Fox Movietone farce, "The Ghost Talks." His particular followers will enjoy his newest characterization even more whilst "Salute" is showing at the Queen's Theatre.

"Big Time."

Stepin Fetchit, who was named for a race horse, recently decided to try his luck at the Tia Juana races. He chanced to visit the well known Mexican track on the day that 14 races were on the card and placed a modest wager on every event, but didn't cash one of them.

The horses were at the post for the 14th race and Stepin, with hundreds of others, was breathlessly awaiting the well known cry "they're off."

Stepin, lazily turning to his companion, drawled, "Thass th' fust cull mah hoss has had today."

The horse the coloured comedian bet on won the race. Step was jubilant, but his joy was turned to grief when he made the discovery that he had lost his winning ticket.

The role of Eli, keeper of the seals, is entrusted to Stepin in "Big Time," a romantic all talking Fox Movietone drama of back stage life which will be playing at the Queen's Theatre on Thursday.

Lee Tracy and Mae Clarke, well known Broadway stars are featured with Josephine Dunn, under Kenneth Hawks' direction.

"The Love Parade."

One of the smartest musical comedies yet to reach the singing screen is now playing to packed houses at the Central Theatre where Maurice Chevalier makes his bow in his new picture called for no particularly good reason "The Love Parade." If Ernst Lubitsch had never directed another picture this one would stamp him as one of three finest directors in any of the world's studios. Briefly it concerns a dashing officer, presumably of the Guards, who is sent home from his embassy to receive the Queen's repatriation and marries her instead. This makes him the Prince Consort which is of the same relative importance as an usher at a movie. He has a lot of uniforms and that's about all. Just how he subdues his proud beauty makes the rest of a charming picture. Chevalier has a charm all his own.

Jeanette MacDonald possesses one of the most pleasing voices yet reproduced through a studio microphone and while it is a bit premature to prophesy regarding her screen future she creates a favourable first impression as the amorous Queen.

AMERICAN STOCKS.

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Tone of Market—Weak.

No. of Shares done—5,000,000.

Call Money—2½%.

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Curtis Wright Common	7
Eastman Kodak	210
Electric Bond & Share	78
Erie Railroad	38
General Motors	42
General Motors Signal	unq.
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Goodyear Tire & Rubber	67
Granby Consolidated	unq.
Hudson Motors	unq.
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International Nickel	23
Montgomery Ward	17
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Radio Corp.	72
Sears Roebuck	72
Shawmut Company	26
Standard Oil Co. of New York	32
Union Carbide & Carbon	70
United States Rubber	28
United States Steel	159

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Banks.

Hongkong Bank, \$1510 s.
Chartered Bank, \$171 n.
Mercantile A. & B., \$29 n.
East Asia \$121 b.

Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$950 n.
Union Ins., \$450 s.
North China Ins., Tls. 160. b
Yangtze Ins., \$50 n.
China Underwriters, \$3. s
Chita Fires, \$400 b.
H. K. Fire Ins., \$955 b.

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Kowloon Wharves, \$1721 sa
Whampoa Docks, \$101 n.
China Providents \$545 s.
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New Engineerings, Tls. 8 b.
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 133 n.

Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 13.25 b.
Shai Cottons, Tls. 36 (old) n

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$1225 s.
H. K. Lands, \$831 b.
Shai Lands Tls. 265 b.
Humphreys, \$1660 sa.
Realties, \$10.61 s.
Chinese Estates \$98 s.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$20.30 s.
Peak Trams (old) \$111 b
Star Ferries, \$86 s.
China Lights, (old) \$271 b
H. K. Electric, \$791 b.
Macao Electric, \$23 n.
Telephones \$17.60 b.
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Canton Ices, \$2.50 n.
Cements (Comb.) \$17.70 s.
Ropes \$91 b.
United Asbestos \$5 b

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$251 b
Watsons, \$13. n.
Der A. Wings, \$1. b
Lane Crawfords, \$3.70 s
Mackintoshes, \$18 b.
Sinceres, \$12.75 b.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$291 n.
Constructions, \$1.90 b.
B'que Ind. G. Bonds, 69% b.
H.K.G. Loan 91% Pre n.

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BEAUTIFUL PARIS GIRL SOUGHT.

Montparnasse, the famous night life quarter of Paris, has been the scene of a tragic and fatal drama which is exciting the "Bohemians" of the capital.

A rich young scion of a notable family of Venezuela, by name Roman de Francia, the son of a well-known family of that country, had gone, in the company of a pretty young woman, to one of the chief cafes of Montparnasse. After the couple had chatted for a while over their liquors, and while the young man was whistling gaily, he became deathly white.

Almost immediately afterwards he fell on the floor.

Two policemen helped the young woman to carry the man to a taxicab.

When he was placed in it the girl asked one of the policemen to go with De Francia to his home. "I will go and tell his brother," she said.

Before the taxicab had been long on the way the police noticed that the man was dead.

His body was taken to the nearest hospital, where it was found that the man had died as a result of an overdose of heroin.

Meanwhile no trace has been found of the young woman.

She is a well-known figure in Montparnasse night life, and is known as "the beautiful Sonia."

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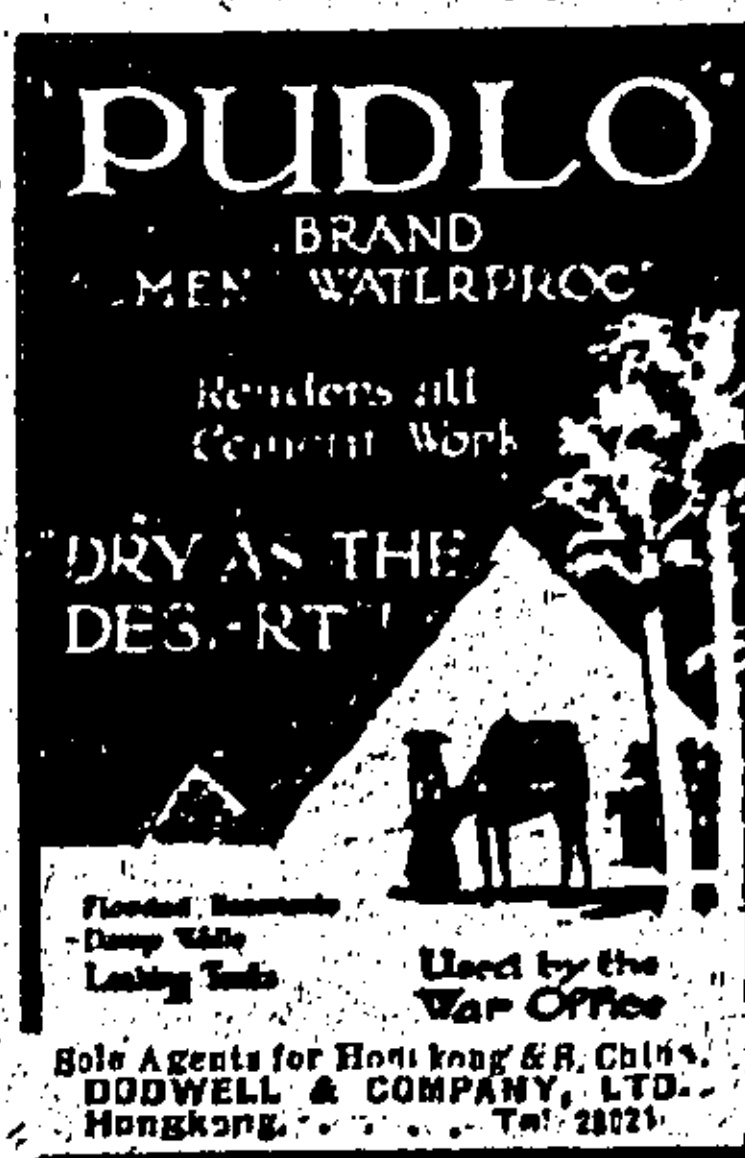
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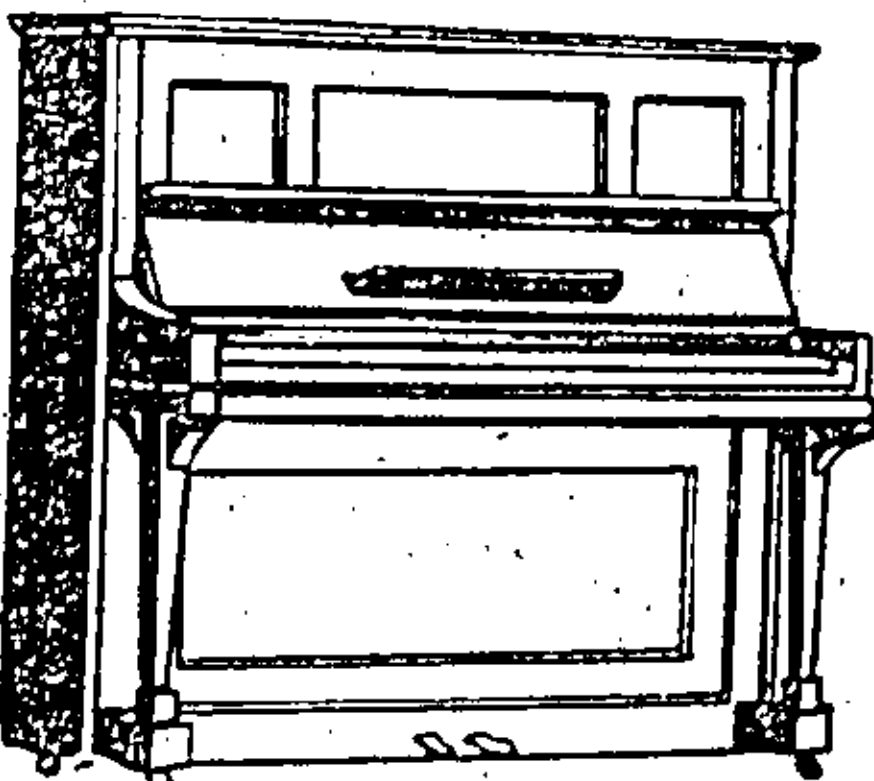
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CHAPTER XXIV.

Alan did not give Phillipa a ring for some time. She was bitter over his neglect in the matter. He had showered gifts and cheques upon Natalie; she knew that.

"He's the kind who wants to give a woman everything he has when he's in love with her," she stormed to herself. Well, she could not ask him for things before they were married, but she did intend to have a ring.

She wanted it, for one thing, as tangible evidence of his promise, which he would remember every time he saw the ring flashing upon her finger. She did not expect him to forget he had asked her to marry him. But, having asked her, he seemed content to let the affair rest in abeyance.

He did not make love to her. That was all right with Phillipa except occasionally when she weighed his new attitude toward her and wondered if it portended ill for her plans. She did not want him to acknowledge too thoroughly to himself his lack of desire for her.

She gave a great deal of thought to ways and means for bringing the ringless state of her left hand to his attention. She could think of nothing that was not too obvious, until Bernadine Lamont came back from the second trip that she had taken that winter. This time Bernadine had gone for her health.

Phillipa had been glad she was gone. She was annoyed by Alan's devotion to Bobby. She knew that if the boy were about much, she would see a great deal less of Alan. No doubt, if Bernadine hadn't left soon after Natalie went home to her mother, Phillipa said to herself, Alan would have found the companionship he sought with the Lamonts, mother and son. Phillipa could not conceive of a love that would endure beyond the grave. She was absolutely convinced that Bernadine would have taken Alan if she had known that he was separated from Natalie.

He happened to reveal to her that he hadn't told Bernadine anything about it. She suggested several reasons why she thought he ought not to do it. Alan agreed with her, without giving the matter much thought.

But when Bernadine returned, and Alan went up to see her and Bobby, Phillipa had to make the most of it. She decided it was high time to get her ring and bring Alan to a definite consideration of their future.

Choosing a time when Alan was less absent-minded than usual, and consequently more devoted to her, she appeared to be nervous and downcast.

Finally, as she knew he would, Alan asked what was troubling her. "Oh, just a condition at home," she answered in an offhand manner.

Alan frowned. He didn't feel like delving into trouble, but he considered it his duty to do as much for Phillipa as she had done for him. And she never had failed to be interested in his affairs, even when they were dreariest. Of course, lately, while he had been living in a sort of shell of resignation, he hadn't needed much comforting.

Curious, he thought idly, this lethargic state had seemed to come upon him with their engagement, with the setting of his fate, as it were.

"What is it, dear?" he pressed, using the only endearing term he applied to her since she had promised to marry him.

"The same old trouble, if you must know," Phillipa answered with a ready show of impatience.

"Yes?" he encouraged her.

"You know I had to tell the folks at home that we're going to be married—some day," she explained, not without a touch of acrimony in her voice. "They wouldn't have allowed me to continue going about with you if I hadn't told them."

Alan said: "I know; you told me about it."

"Well," Phillipa burst out; "they're beginning to act as though they think I lied to them; that we're not engaged at all!"

"Nonsense."

"Of course, it's nonsense, but it's terribly disturbing just the same. If only they'd come right out and say what they think, I could convince them that I told the truth."

Alan did not seem greatly impressed with her difficulty. "Can't you talk about it of your own accord?" he asked.

Phillipa shook her head. "You don't understand, Alan," she said, and now her voice was sweeter, and quite sad. "There isn't anything that I can say, except that we're engaged, and I can't say that over and over, when there's nothing they can see to back me up."

"You won't let me see you at home," Alan reminded her.

"No, I won't," she said stubbornly. "My home isn't a pleasant place even for me. I'm not going to inflict it upon you."

"But I think I ought to talk with your parents, Phillipa. After all, it's asking a great deal of them, even in this day and age, to entrust their daughter's happiness to a man who is still married to another woman."

"Phillipa grabbed at the chance he gave her. 'That's just it,' she exclaimed. 'Everything is so unsettled, so uncertain, I can't talk about it with them. If I could tell them when we're going to be married, where we're going to live, or what we're going to do, it wouldn't be so bad.' Her voice had grown louder, excited. She appeared to be carried away by her thoughts, so that when she said: 'If I only had an engagement ring to show them, it would help a lot,' it seemed a naturally expressed and innocent remark. Alan never guessed how skillfully he had been reminded of an oversight.

"That's one thing we can settle without delay," he said, glad to be able to take some direct action. "We'll get a ring to-morrow, dear. You'll pick it out of course?"

"Alan," Phillipa breathed it thankfully, but she was too clever to gush over her success.

And the next day she got her ring. The girls in the office cast knowing glances at each other, when they caught sight of it on her finger, but not one of them dared to question her about it.

Her mother and father were over-awed.

"There," she challenged, moving her hand back and forth under their startled gaze; "isn't that a beauty?"

"Where did you get it?" Her mother's voice had never been so stern before.

Phillipa laughed. "Oh I know you're going to beat," she retorted, "but don't. I'm engaged."

She caught her father's eye, and for a few seconds her assurance deserted her. But she had to see it through. Their interference

couldn't bother her now. If she had to find another place to live, Alan would take care of her.

"To that young Mr. Norman you used to talk about?" her mother asked, before Phillipa had decided what she should say to her father. Mrs. West couldn't think of anyone else who had money enough to give Phillipa such a ring. For even her untrained eye knew that the square-cut stone her daughter was exhibiting was a valuable one.

"No," Phillipa declared, unabashed; "to Mr. Converse."

"Converse?" Both her mother and her father echoed Alan's name. Against the silence of their perplexity, Phillipa smiled coolly, insolently. "To Mr. Alan Converse, my boss for a little while longer," she said.

"But Phillipa, he's married!" her mother exclaimed in horrified accents.

"He's been parted from his wife for weeks," Phillipa explained calmly, at the same time avoiding her father's glance.

"You're crazy, girl," he exploded wrathfully. "I won't have it. I tell you. Do you hear? I won't have it! My daughter engaged to be married to a man who's already got a wife. It's plain disgrace!"

Phillipa's face flamed red. "Plain or fancy, take it or leave it," she thrust back; "he's going to marry me when he's divorced from the present Mrs. Converse."

"Phillipa..."

"Oh, don't rag me, mother. There's nothing wrong, I tell you. I didn't separate them. They quarrelled all the time. She was beastly jealous..."

"And did she have cause for it?" Mr. West broke in, pointing an accusing finger at Phillipa.

"If you're going to start treating me like a home wrecker, I'll leave," she threatened in answer.

"You'll leave if you don't take that ring off your finger, and be damned quick about it," her father shouted.

Phillipa smiled crookedly. "I expected as much," she said sneeringly. "Just because I have a chance to better myself, to get somewhere in the world, you want to hold me down with a lot of out-worn ideas about propriety. Furthermore, it seems you're pretty ready and willing to think anything of me. Why? Because I'm your own flesh and blood?"

"Phillipa!" her mother cried in frightened protest.

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U.S. TARIFF BILL TO BE SIGNED.

PRESIDENT HOOVER ON POSSIBLE REMEDIES.

Washington, June 16.

President Hoover announces that he will sign the Tariff Bill, and indicates that if he finds the flexible provisions are not sufficiently powerful to effect needed changes, he will request greater powers.

He says that complaints by some foreign countries that the duties are unduly high, are remediable, if justified, by proper application to the Commission.

A Paris message states that, commenting on the above, the *Echo de Paris* says France will be compelled to take reprisals. "The United States are vulnerable now, as industrial products form half of their exports. Sooner or later they will learn this to their cost."—*Reuter*.

LEAGUE TENNIS.

INDIAN R.C. BEAT UNIVERSITY AT POKFULAM.

On the University ground yesterday, the Indian Recreation Club beat the University in a "C" Division league tennis match by six sets to three. Scores:

Kho and Tan (University) lost to M. O. Hoosen and Mahomed 3-6; lost to Minu and Ackker 3-6; beat Bux and D. Razack 8-6.

Pao and Silva lost to Hoosen and Mahomed 4-6; lost to Minu and Ackker 4-6; beat Bux and Razack 13-11.

Ng and Kho lost to Hoosen and Mahomed 1-6; lost to Minu and Ackker 1-6; beat Bux and Razack 6-1.

In the Tennis League match between the R.E.S.C. and C.R.C. on the latter's grounds on Friday, the C.R.C. won by six matches to three.

WATER-POLO LEAGUE MATCHES.

KOWLOON WIN IN BOTH DIVISIONS YESTERDAY.

It is a pity all the teams in the water-polo league have not got going as quickly as Kowloon and the Somersets in the first division. When they clashed at the V. R. C. last night they showed flashes of water-polo that was not so very far below the best standard seen last year.

The Kowloon men came out of the water with a two-one score in their favour, and it was only what they deserved. When a side like Kowloon, which is handicapped by the injury to its members, can practise together, comes out with chains of quick passes and a perfect understanding between the lines, it makes their defeat excusable and their successes the more creditable. How much stronger Kowloon were, was shown in the closing stages when even with two men out of the bath they more than held the Service men.

The Somersets lost the game by one or two bad mistakes, but they lack the knowledge of the finer points that the Kowloon men have.

The teams that took the water were: Somersets—Early, Naylor, Meadows, Mackenzie, Fox, Howard, Morris.

Kowloon—Angus, Franks, Wittchell, Kerr, Ralston, Simpson, Bliss.

Mr. Weyman was referee.

Kowloon forwards went off smartly and within a few minutes of the opening whistle Simpson flicked the ball through when Early came out. Somersets tried hard enough but found either Wittchell or Ralston in the way; but when Kowloon pressed and Kerr broke away on the wing, he made no mistake with a long shot.

Just before the half time whistle Ralston fouled a man without the ball and was ordered out. The penalty was given against Kowloon but Angus (in goal) stopped it, and the half time score was Kowloon 2, Somersets nil.

The Somersets were soon away after they came back, and their score came from Early, who had been brought out of goal, and dashing round the wing had a long shot. Angus got both hands on the ball but fumbled it, and it dropped into the net over his head.

Angus essayed to get a better leverage by hanging on the goal bar

A NEW JAPANESE WAR MINISTER.

LT. GEN. NOBUYUKI ABE TO ACT FOR MR. UGAKI.

Tokyo, June 16.

Owing to Mr. Issei Ugaki, the Minister of War, being laid up in hospital with typhus for the past three months, Lieutenant General Nobuyuki Abe, the present Vice Minister, has been appointed acting Minister of War.

Mr. Ugaki offered to resign previously, but Mr. M. Hamaguchi, the Prime Minister, refused to permit him to do so preferring a temporary arrangement.—*Reuter*.

THE JUNIOR TOURIST TROPHY RACE.

WON BY TYRELL-SMITH ON A RUDGE WHITWORTH.

London, June 16.

The Junior Tourist Trophy motorcycle race, at the Isle of Man, with forty-three competitors, over a 254 mile course, was won by H.G. Tyrell-Smith, on a Rudge Whitworth, at a speed of 71.08 miles an hour.—*Reuter*.

but Mr. Weyman, who doesn't miss much, caught him. The ball had to be passed back and the forwards failed to take the advantage. Two of Kowloon's men went out towards the end when Simpson fouled a man without the ball and Bliss remained in the two yard area. Even then, Kowloon held the Service men for a while, but play was round the Somersets end, with Angus and Wittchell standing out as defenders when the whistle went. It probably prevented a draw.

Second Division.

The second division game also went to Kowloon, two to one. They were opposed to the University. The teams were:

University—P. L. Tan, S. T. Cheung, K. I. Ip, K. K. Kho, F. F. Li, S. F. Chan, M. C. Loh.

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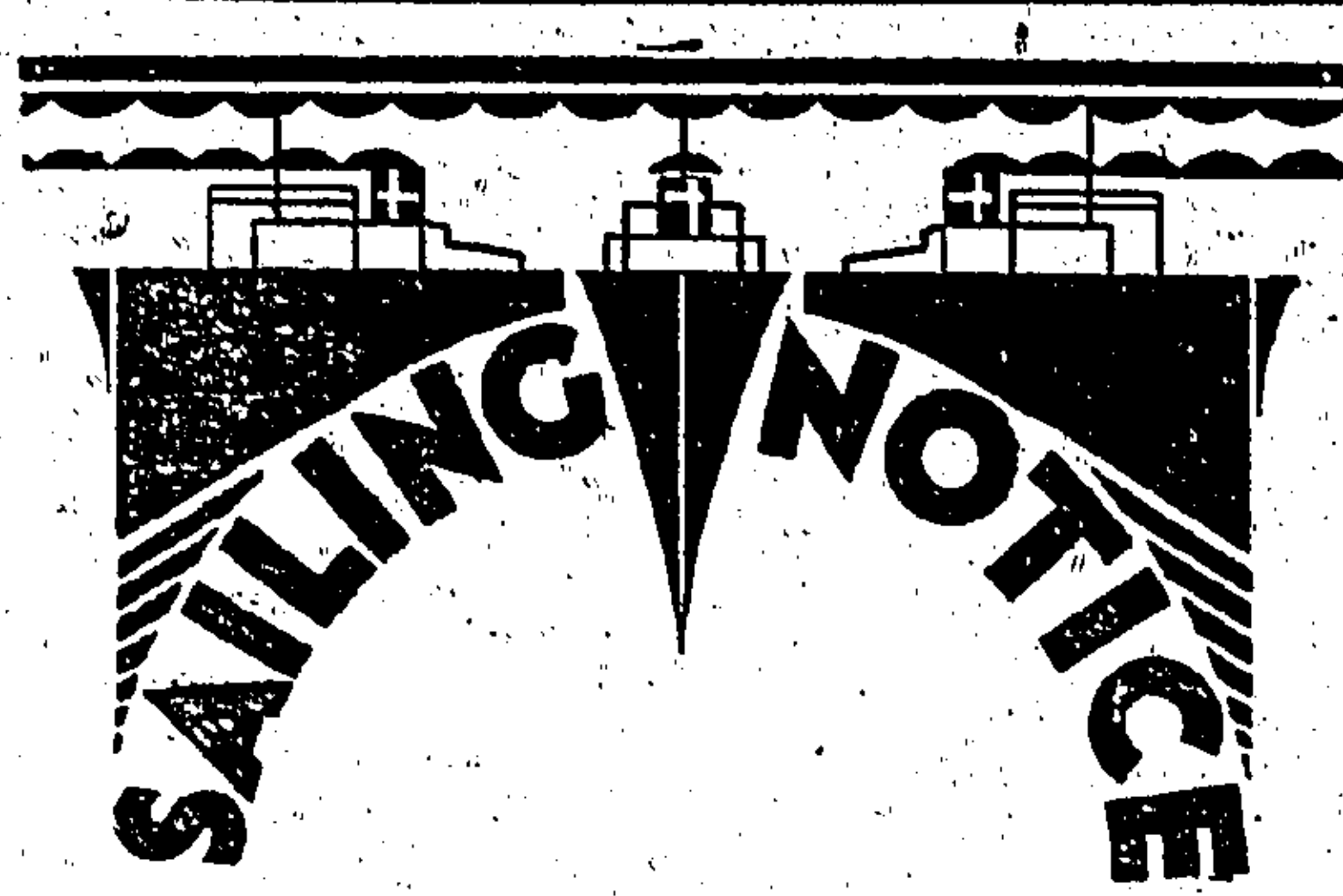
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This will be preceded by a studio concert commencing at 8.30 p.m. Further details of the concert and orchestra performance will be published in the complete radio programme on Friday.

Wireless programme to be broadcast to-day by Z.B.W. Hongkong, on a wavelength of 355 metres:—
8.00-8.00 p.m. Programme of Columbia records by courtesy of Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

6.00 The Rose. Selection.
6.08 Come Silver Moon (Duet).
6.14 Dora Labette. Hubert Eisdell.
6.14 Raphaelite.

Albert Sandler and Orch.
6.20 Shallimar.
6.28 The Village Blacksmith.
6.35 Fugue, alla Gigue (Bach).
6.43 Where E'er you Walk.
(Semele). Master John Griffiths.
6.52 Casse Noisette Suite.
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7.18 The Gentle Maiden
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7.50 Devotion (Ketyby).
Terence Casey (Organ).
7.56 Sunnyside up. (Selection).
Jack Payne and B.B.C. Dance Orch.
8.00 Chinese programme relayed from Ko Shing Theatre until the end of the play.

CHINESE MUSICAL PLAYS.

FAMOUS ACTOR ENGAGED AT LEE THEATRE.

Mr. Chan Fei-nung, the leading female impersonator of the South China stage, headed a strong cast of famous Chinese actors in a recent production "Pak Shuen Fung," which was presented for the first time in the Colony at the Lee Theatre, East Point, last night, and was warmly applauded by the large audience.

Many Chinese songs were written specially for the famous Chinese actor, which suited the appearance and voice of this female impersonator remarkably, while the scenes and the costumes showed most effective and colourful designs.

Critics of Chinese musical plays have expressed the opinion that Mr. Chan Fei-nung compares favourably with the famous North China actor, Mei Lan-fang, who toured the American continent recently with considerable success.

Chan Fei-nung will appear at the Lee Theatre for a short season before the expiration of his contract with the Sun Chien Chow musical company, which will shortly close for the summer vacation. Europeans who desire to witness high-class Chinese drama should pay the theatre a visit.

CUSTOMS DISPUTE AT TIENTSIN.

COL. HAYLEY-BELL "DISMISSED."

Peking, June 16.

The crisis in connexion with the remittance of the two and a half per cent. Customs surtax to Nanking has reached a head, a wire from Yen Hsi-shan published to-day declaring:

"I have repeatedly notified Lt. Col. Hayley-Bell (the Commissioner of Customs at Tientsin) to cease remitting Customs revenue to the South, but he has not complied, therefore it is now necessary to remove him."

Yen has therefore appointed Mr. Lenox Simpson ("Putnam Weale," who was recently Editor of the Peking Leader) to be. Advisor to the Grand Headquarters of the Commander-in-Chief, and concurrently Commissioner of Customs at Tientsin; and has ordered him to proceed to Tientsin immediately and take charge of the Customs House, and retain the receipts from the increased portion of the tariff in the Bank of Communications, "so that none will be remitted to Nanking for prolongation of the war."

A Shanghai message states that according to a Japanese report from Tientsin, Mr. Lenox Simpson called on the Commissioner of Customs, Lt. Col. Hayley-Bell, this morning and requested him to hand over the Customs administration.

Lt. Col. Hayley-Bell took refuge in the British Consulate, simultaneously informing the Consular officials that he was obliged to take refuge with all the necessary documents at the British Consulate owing to illegal pressure from the Shansi party, and that the official duties of the Tientsin Customs would be suspended temporarily.—*Reuter.*

POLICE RESERVE.

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK.

General.

Orders issued yesterday by Mr. T. H. King, Acting Inspector General of Police, state:—

Revolver Practice. The regular weekly revolver practice (voluntary) will take place at the Bowen Road Revolver Range on Wednesday, June 18th, from 9.00 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. It will be open to all ranks of the H.K.F., Special Constables, holding permits to carry arms.

Police Training School.

The weekly classes for Police Reservists at the Police Training School, Kowloon, will be held on Tuesday, June 17th at 5.30 p.m. All members of the Chinese and Indian Companies and of the Flying Squad who have not yet passed Part 2 of Training Course are requested to attend.

Chinese Company.

Revolver Practice. Members of the Chinese Company, who have passed Parts 1 and 2 of Training Course, will attend at the Bowen Road Revolver Range on Wednesday evening, June 18th, at 9 p.m. sharp for revolver practice under Musketry Instructor E. Carpenter.

Flying Squad.

Strength. Constable R332 Ng Hung Kwal has been taken on the strength of the Flying Squad, and posted to the Hongkong Section as from June 14th.

The weekly instructional patrol of the Kowloon Section will take place on Tuesday, June 17th. Fall in at the Tsim-tsu-tui Fire Brigade Station at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress-Khaki Uniform and Cap with Khaki Cover.

The weekly instructional patrol of the Hongkong Section will take place on Friday, June 20th. Fall in at the Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress-Khaki Uniform and Cap with Khaki Cover.

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Rifle Practice. Rifle practice will be carried out on the Tai Hang Range on Wednesday, June 18th, from 5.30 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. (Sgd.) D. L. KING, D. S. P. (R).

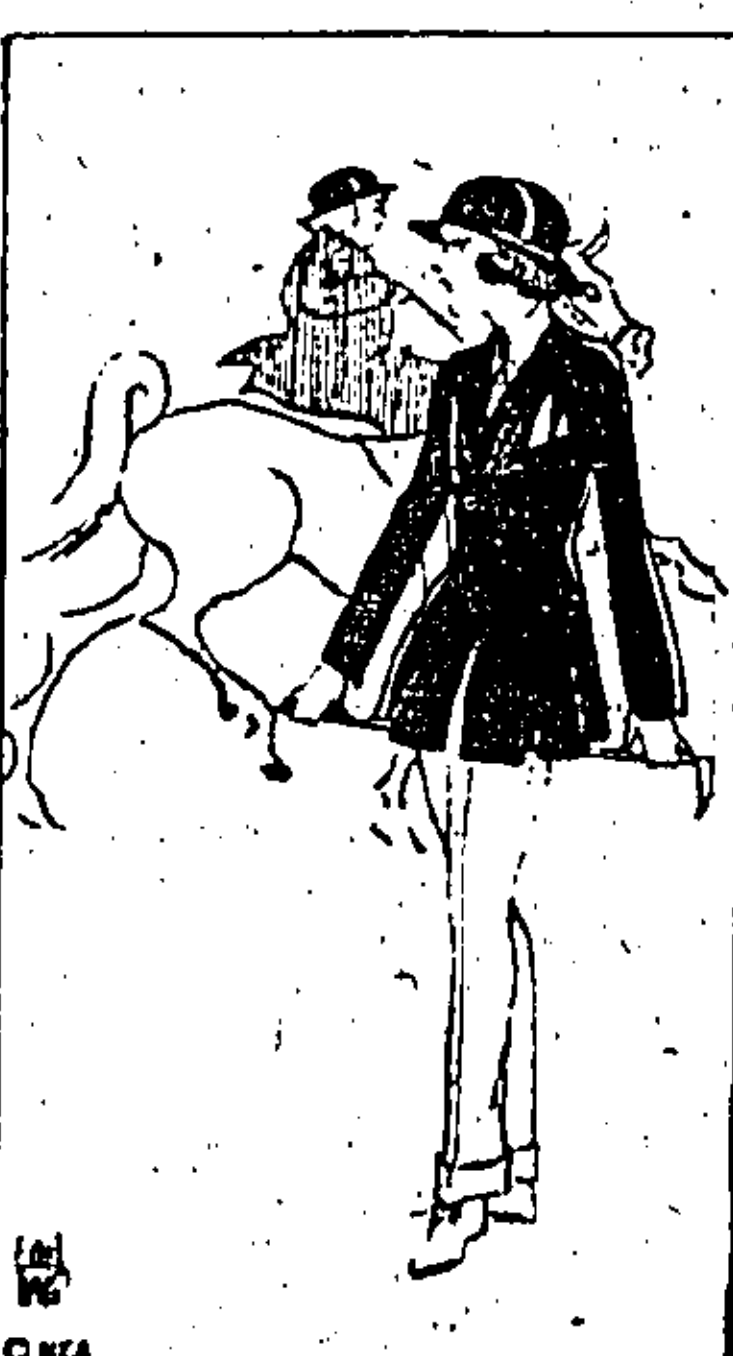
MALAYAN TIN PRODUCTION.

QUESTION OF ADEQUATE RESTRICTION.

Singapore, June 16.

A large and representative meeting of Malay tin producers has passed a resolution recommending:

Firstly, the stoppage of production unless the proposal for a two months' "holiday" be adopted; secondly, that the Chamber of Mines should approach the Government with a view to the introduction of legislation regarding a six day week; thirdly, that the Tin Producers' Association should consider a practical scheme to restrict output, and additional cessation of production for two months.—*Reuter.*



Fat women will use any slender excuse to get that way.

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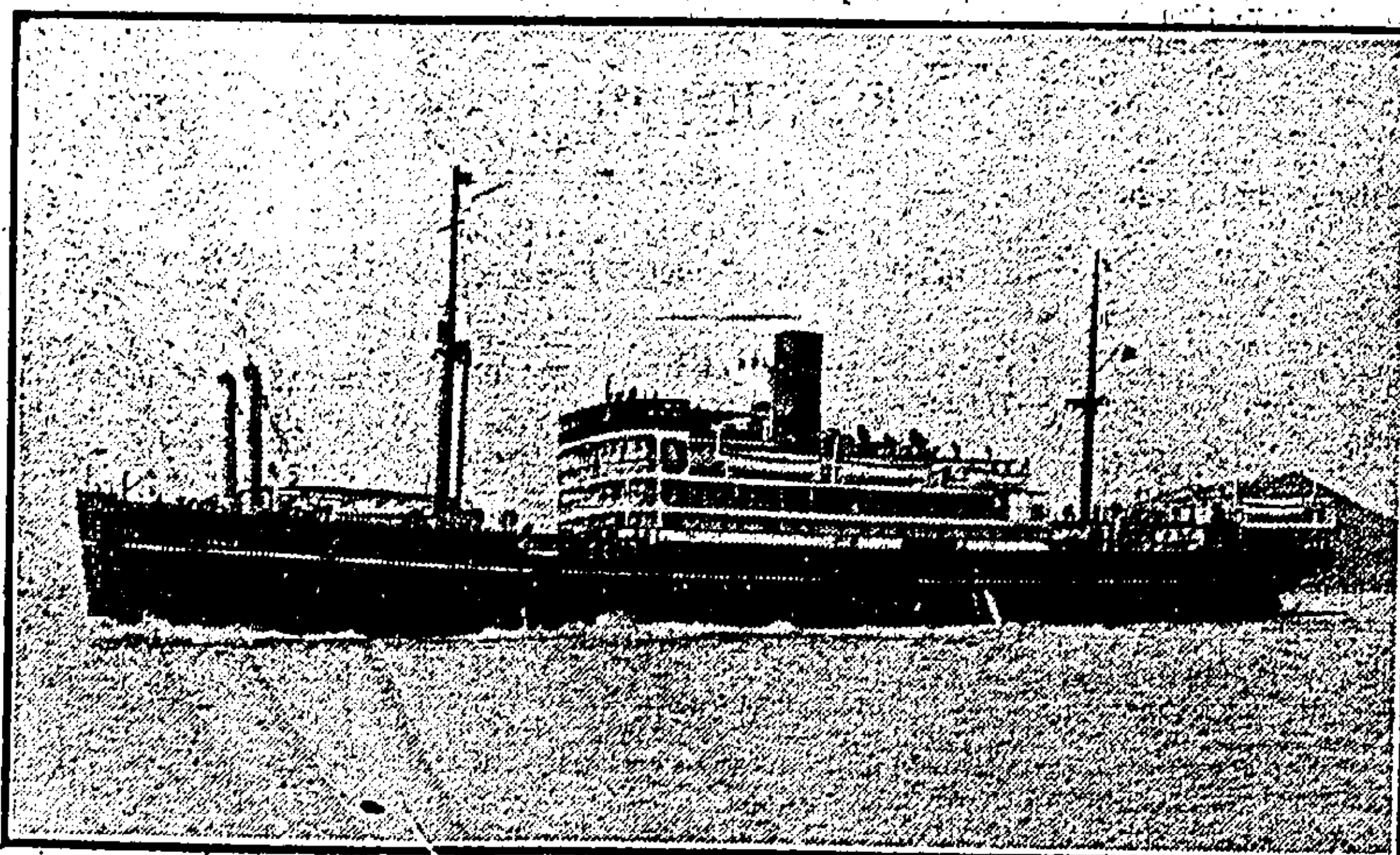
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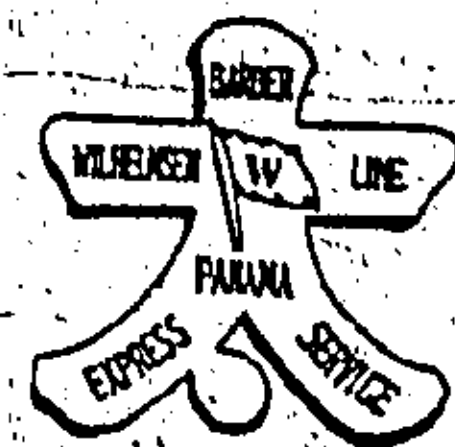
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KARMA	9,128	5th July.	Marseilles, L'don, Hull, R'dm & A'werp
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MORE TROOPS LEAVE CANTON.

TO ASSIST NATIONALISTS IN THE NORTH.

Canton, June 14.
Many more troopships have
left Canton for the North during
the present week, practically the
whole of the 6th and 8th Route
Armies having now departed to
reinforce the Nationalist forces
in Shantung against the Kuom-
inchun-Shansi offensive.

General Chu Shao-leung, Com-
mander-in-Chief of the 6th Route
Army, was amongst the last to
leave Canton a few days ago,
leaving Colonel Cheung Chun-po
here to wind up the affairs of the
Staff of the 6th Route Army before
himself proceeding to the North.

The situation here is very quiet.
General Chan Ming-shu, Civil
Governor of Kwangtung, and a
very staunch supporter of Marshal
Chiang Kai-shek, has time and
again assured the people of
Kwangtung that the Nationalist
armies must eventually triumph
over the Kuominchun-Shansi re-
bels and that Marshal Chiang Kai-
shek, the President, is absolutely
capable of coping with the present
situation.

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CHURCH YOKE ON MALTA.

GOVERNMENT NOT WANTING
IT SHAKEN OFF.

ROME AND POLITICS.

Malta, June 16.

The Governor, replying to the
Archbishop's protest against the
police, declares that he has not
found any grounds for censure
or criticism of the police and re-
minds the Archbishop that the
safety of the community lies in the
hands of the police. The Govern-
ment trusts that he may count on
the co-operation of the Archbishop
in reducing to a minimum the op-
portunities for public demonstra-
tions which might lead to disorder.

The Archbishop's protest also
included an expression of deep
regret that the Governor had al-
lowed the *Government Gazette* to
be used to enable Lord Strickland
to publish a series of libels against
the Church and Clergy.

In connexion with Lord Strick-
land's medium of defence, the
Governor now reminds the Arch-
bishop that the British Govern-
ment's White Paper reproduced
the Vatican's accusations against
Lord Strickland. It therefore
does not seem unreasonable that
Lord Strickland should publish his
defence in an official paper.—
Reuter.

Lord Strickland's Views.

London, June 16.

Lord Strickland arrived here
to-day from Malta by air. In an
interview with *Reuter* he em-
phasised that the Government of
Malta did not wish to shake off the
yoke of the Church. They were
prepared to take religion from
Rome but politics from themselves.

Previous Popes had allowed
complaints against Bishops and
Priests, but the present Pope did
not appear to wish to listen to
such complaints. The Pope was
infallible but the Bishops were
not necessarily so. Lord Strick-
land added that he was confident
that a satisfactory solution would
be found.—*Reuter.*

DIFFICULTIES IN HOTEL CASE.

(Continued from Page 1.)

as demand and the brine
machinery as capacity. The ice
making plant was on direct ex-
pansion, and was directly separate
from that which circulated
through the brine coolers. The
ice water plant had a separate
cooler and was on a direct ex-
pansion system.

His Lordship asked Mr. Hacker
for his explanation for the big
difference in the temperature of
the water between that in 1928
and of July 1929. In 1928 it was
72 and in 1929 83 degrees.

Mr. Hacker said that at the time
the temperature was taken in 1928,
very little water was being taken
out of the well, but in 1929, he
would imagine that the opening of
the mains to the sea allowed the
hot seepage to be brought in.

The returning of the water to
the well would not raise the tem-
perature?—Oh yes. The tempera-
ture was 80-82 when not being
returned and 85-86 when it was.

Water Analysis.

If the condensing water is too
hot, can you overcome that diffi-
culty by increasing the pressure
and increasing the condenser sur-
face?—If you increase the com-
pressor that keeps down the
machinery capacity. The machine
would not have so much refrigerat-
ing capacity if the compressor is
increased.

If you get plenty of cold water
you can reduce the compressor
and the condenser surface?—Yes,
and at the same time increase the
efficiency and capacity of the
plant.

Mr. Sheldon in re-examination
asked: What would be the
maximum temperature of water
necessary to obtain 120 gallons of
water per minute for the plant to
do its work efficiently?—77 de-
grees.

That would be for ordinary
average efficient work?—Yes.

You have been told that Mr.
Brearley gave you an envelope with
the analysis of the water, and that
he signed the bit back after-
wards. Can you say definitely yes
or no, if that did happen?—I say
no, it did not happen.

It has been put to you that your
co-efficient for the transmission of
heat through cork is wrong and
misleading. In Mott's tables the
figure given for the low density
of cork is 6.7 and for the high
density 7.4. Those figures are for
the two grades of cork. Which
did you use in this plant?—The
low density, as is used in all re-
frigerating plants.

Any reason why the low density
is used in preference to the high
density?—It is cheaper and more
efficient.

The case is proceeding.

"IRONSIDES" MAY SWITCH.

NEGOTIATIONS WITH
NANKING.

BREAK WITH KWANGSI FORCE
REPORTED POSSIBLE.

AN UNEXPECTED TURN

Shanghai, June 16.

Unexpected developments are
expected in the Hunan situation,
it being understood that negotia-
tions between the Ironside Com-
manders and envoys of the
National Government in pro-
gress as a result of which the
Ironside Army may surrender to
Nanking and take part in the
campaign against the Shansi-
Kuominchun allies.

In view of the fact that Nan-
king is said to be seriously short
of troops, following the heavy
casualties suffered, and that
General Chang Fat-kwai, the officer
commanding the Ironside troops,
was a trusted servant of Marshal
Chiang Kai-shek during the
Northern expedition in 1926, the
defection of the Ironsides is quite
possible.

Break With Kwangsi.

Troubles are expected to break
out in Hunan upon the conclusion
of the Nanking-Ironside negotia-
tions and a split between the
Ironside and Kwangsi alliance is
expected. The latter troops under
the command of General Li Chung-
yen are likely to continue with
their support to the Kuominchun
faction.

Official Nanking communiques
from Hunan state that the
Nationalist Navy has recaptured
Yochow, on the Hupeh-Hunan
frontier, this place having been
taken by the Ironsides some time
last week.

Yochow is said to be quiet and
no untoward incident has occurred
during the Nationalist conquest.

Nanking Reinforcements.

The Nationalist Commanders
claim that 100,000 troops have
been disturbed along the Hupeh-
Hunan frontier to meet the
onslaught of the Ironside-Kwangsi
allies, and with General Ho Ying-
ching as the commanding officer,
the Nationalist troops are con-
fident of their ability to desist the
Ironside invasion.

Yesterday was marked by the
arrival at Hankow of many wound-
ed troops, indicating that fighting
between the Nationalist and Iron-
side vanguard has occurred on the
borders.

More Reserves.

Three thousand Nationalist
troops under the 8th Nanking
Division, (General Miao Bing-
wen), which took part in the
Kwangsi war recently, left Nan-
king this morning for Hankow as
Nationalist reserves in the Hunan
War.

General Miao Bing-wen told
Chinese correspondents that judg-
ing by his experience when fight-
ing with the Ironside troops in
Kwangsi, the latter were poorly
equipped with arms and ammuni-
tion. General Miao added that
the Shansi reports boasting of the
strength of the Ironside and
Kwangsi armies are, in many
cases, much exaggerated. The
Ironside army has only three
regiments left with about the
same number of troops under
General Tang Sang-ming, an ally
of the Ironsides, while the
Kwangsi Army under General Li
Chung-yen has about 18 regiments.

HUNDRED WICKETS FOR FREEMAN.

FIRST TO PERFORM FEAT
THIS SEASON.

London, June 16.

Kent beat Derbyshire in a Coun-
ty cricket fixture to-day at Ton-
bridge. The match was notable
for a fine bowling performance by
Freeman who took eight of the
Derbyshire wickets for 70 runs,
bringing his total up to a hundred
wickets this season. He is the
first bowler to accomplish the feat
this year.

Derbyshire made 144 in the first
innings, Kent replying with 171.
Ames played a fine innings and
scored 83 not out. Freeman and
Hardinge shared the Derbyshire
wickets in the second innings
when the team was dismissed for
90. Freeman took five for 40 and
Hardinge four for 29. Kent got
the necessary 64 runs for victory
with the loss of only one wicket.—
Reuter.

BOMBAY UNREST CONTINUES.

PARSEE DEMONSTRATORS
JEER THE POLICE.

DACCA FERMENT.

Bombay, June 16.

On a rumour that a picketer
had been assaulted, a large and
excited crowd, mostly Parsees,
gathered in front of Messrs.
Whiteaway, Laidlaw and Com-
pany's shop, one of the largest
European department stores here,
and booed and jeered the police.
The police eventually charged
and slightly injured ten of the
demonstrators.—*Reuter.*

Bombay, June 16.
A second batch of picketers has
been arrested, all concerned being
sentenced to four months' rigorous
imprisonment.—*Reuter.*

Dacca, June 16.
Two bombs exploded in differ-
ent parts of the city to-day, whilst
a Mahomedan stabbed a Hindu by
whom he had been assaulted.
The streets are deserted, and
no shops are open. Hindus are
leaving the city.—*Reuter.*

Bombay, June 16.
The first effect of the Viceroy's
anti-intimidation Ordinance was
seen this morning, when the police
arrested twenty-six Gandhi-ites
who were picketing shops selling
foreign cloth, inside the European
business quarter, apparently un-
deterred by the bursting of the
monsoon at the week-end.

Later.
The twenty-six picketers have
been sentenced to four months' hard
labour.

Their places outside the shops
were immediately taken by more
volunteers, who were promptly ar-
rested. Large crowds cheered the
culprits.

Subsequently forty-five other
Gandhi-ites, of whom forty-two
were women, were arrested in a
suburb while picketing liquor pre-
mises.—*Reuter.*

Simla, June 16.
The general election to the
Legislative Assembly Council of
State has been fixed for September.
—*Reuter.*

THEFTS FROM THE AERODROME.

CONSIDERABLE PROPERTY
STOLEN.

The theft of 16 coils of control
cable belonging to the Royal Air
Force authorities at Kai Tak had
a sequel before Mr. Whyte Smith
at the Kowloon Magistracy this
morning when a fireman employed
at the Aerodrome appeared on a
charge of stealing the cable. A
marine hawk was before his
Worship accused of receiving
stolen property.

Both defendants admitted their
offences.

According to Sub-Inspector
Elston, the first defendant, who
was employed at the aerodrome
as a fireman, was seen yesterday
morning by Flying Officer E. E.
Webb to hand out the cable
through the fence to the second
defendant, who was on the outside.
The first defendant had been
employed by the Air Force
for 2½ years and bore a good
character.

Flying Officer Webb intimated
that the Kai Tak authorities had
lost considerable property and he
asked his Worship to make an
example of the defendants. In
the past petrol, oil and tools had
been stolen in the same way and
the men stationed at the aero-
drome had to pay for these losses.

Each defendant was fined \$25
or three weeks' hard labour in
default. His Worship remarked
that he was taking into considera-
tion the first defendant's good
record of service.

MR. THOMAS TAKES NEW POST.

ASSUMES SECRETARYSHIP OF
THE DOMINIONS.

London, June 16.

The Rt. Hon. Mr. J. H. Thomas
to-day assumed his new position
in the Ministry as Secretary of
State for the Dominions. The
office became necessary when the
Premier recently decided to
separate the offices of the
Dominions and the Colonies in
view of the approach of the Im-
perial Conference and the nature
of its business. Formerly there
were two Under Secretaries of
State for the Dominions and the
Colonies, but they had one head in
Common.

The transfer of Mr. Thomas to
the new post rendered the position
of Lord Privy Seal vacant and
this has been taken by Mr. Vernon
Hartshorn.—*Reuter.*

For lying their craft inshore dur-
ing prohibited hours, six boatpeo-
ple were fined \$5 each at the Marine
Court this morning before the Hon.
Cdr. G. F. Hole.

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